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Sign, smoke detector assist in house fire

By MICHAEL H. BABICZ
Community Editor

Two fire prevention items played important roles in avoiding a fire disaster in Antioch Township Feb. 13.

The call came into the Antioch Fire Department at 7:47 p.m. for a structure fire at 38821 Lakeside Place.

The address is located in the area where the First Fire Protection District has installed reflective green signs with address numbers on them

to assist emergency personnel. This was especially helpful since the house was located off the roadway.

"This house was located off the road, with no visible address," explained Chief Dennis Volling. "The sign installed by the First Fire District made the home easy to locate."

"When I first arrived, the fire was at the back of the home and not immediately visible," Volling explained.

The first arriving engine compa-

ny was credited by Volling with controlling the spread of the fire.

"The first arriving engine company did a great job of knocking down the fire," Volling said.

The second facet of fire prevention came into play for the homeowner.

The owner was asleep in another part of the house at the time the fire broke out. Smoke detectors began going off which awakened him.

The owner of the home attempt-

ed to investigate the origin of the smoke. The heat and smoke conditions proved to be severe.

The man was able to go down to the basement, which was clear, and exit through a basement door. He was treated at the scene for smoke inhalation.

"The fire could have resulted in a fatality had it not been for the working smoke detector," Lt. Chris Lienhardt of Antioch Fire Department said.

The cause of the fire is being investigated.

An unofficial loss of \$50,000 was estimated for the extensive damage sustained by the rear of the house.

Equipment responding to the fire from Antioch included two engines, one squad, one tanker, one fire investigation unit plus tankers from Fox Lake and Lake Villa, one engine from Salem, Wis., one squad from Wilmot, Wis. and Trevor, Wis. provided engine coverage for Antioch's station.



Gladys Patton, who has worked at register one for the 12 years Walgreen's has existed in Antioch, will retire Feb. 11 and move to Naperville.—Photo by Sandy Bressner

Leaving home

*Patton retires from Antioch
Walgreen's after 12 years*

By MICHAEL H. BABICZ
Community Editor

Register one for 12 years. To some, it may sound a little boring.

For Gladys Patton of Antioch, it has been "home."

The 68-year-old widow retired Feb. 11, with plans to move to Naperville to be closer to her daughter.

"Register one, that's been it," Patton said. "It may be boring, but it's been home to me."

During her tenure with Walgreen's, which has always been at the Antioch location on Main St., Patton has seen the store go through some changes over the year.

Originally from Chicago, Patton

admits she was not thrilled by the idea of moving to Antioch when her late husband, Kenneth, who passed away in 1993, brought up the idea to be closer to his work.

"I never wanted to leave Chicago, but as soon as I got to Antioch, from the first day, everybody was so nice and it felt like home," Patton said.

Amazingly, Patton says she has run into many people she knew from having worked in offices in Chicago.

"I've met people I worked with, old bosses who have homes out here and even people I went to grammar school with," Patton said. "One girl I hadn't seen since we graduated from grammar school together. She came into the store when I first started

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NWTF program keeps wild turkeys flying

By MICHAEL H. BABICZ
Community Editor

Wild turkey flock expansion may come to Lake County soon.

The Lake County Longbeards are entering their third year as part of the Illinois Chapter of the National Wild Turkey Federation (NWTF).

The main purpose of the NWTF, as well as local chapters, is "to maintain and conserve wildlife habitat for turkeys and other wildlife, and continue the turkey hunting heritage," explained Mike Ruxton, president of the Antioch-based chapter and a state chapter board member.

Of the 102 counties within Illinois, wild turkeys have been reintroduced to 92 counties. Of those, 88 are open to hunting on a permit, lottery basis.

Lake County is one which has had wild turkeys reintroduced but not in sufficient numbers to allow any hunting as yet.

A wild turkey release was held in early February in Woodstock. Participating in the release were Ruxton;

Ray Eisbrener, McHenry County biologist for the Illinois Department of Natural Resources (IDNR); Chad Franklin, NWTF regional director; and Bob Meerless of the Longbeards.

The release in the Bull Valley area of Woodstock indicated a dozen female hens. The male toms were released about one week after the hens.

The movement of the turkeys from one area of Illinois to another is done swiftly, but carefully, so as not to injure any of the birds in the process.

The NWTF purchased and donated land in the Apple River Canyon State Park, located in Jo Davies County, where the turkey population is doing well.

Since wild turkeys can not be "pen raised" because they would lose some of their natural instincts needed for survival, they are trapped in the wild and transplanted. By raising them, Ruxton explained, the birds would lose their acquired

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Fire dept. hopes new aerial truck will lower fire ratings

By MICHAEL H. BABICZ
Community Editor

A new piece of fire fighting equipment is expected to help

taxpayers in the long run.

The entire Antioch Fire Department force is completing a training program which will enable them to operate the new aerial platform fire

truck which was delivered to Fire District 1 earlier this month.

This particular piece of equip-

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Antioch Firefighters Mike Wolczyk, Jim Cook, Rich Meltzer and Don Champley learn to control the station's new ladder truck at station 2 on Deep Lake Road, north of Route 173.—Photo by Sandy Bressner

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Hockney honored as Administrator of Year

Support for Student Assistance Program cited in nomination

By MICHAEL H. BABICZ
Community Editor

There are many times when school administrators wonder if they are doing the right thing.

"I don't do what I do to receive awards," said Dr. Dennis Hockney, Antioch Community High School (ACHS) superintendent. "It made me feel good that we made decisions to do some things that we're being recognized for."

Hockney is being honored as Administrator of the Year by the Illinois Association of Student Assistance Professionals (IASAP).

The award was presented during a luncheon on the first day of the IASAP State Conference Feb. 17 in Springfield.

"I didn't know I was even nominated," Hockney said, admitting the e-mail message from Tim Noonan was a surprise.

Noonan is in charge of the Student Assistance Program (SAP) for ACHS.

Hockney's support of the SAP has come in three main areas, according to Noonan.

The first was with the administration of the survey in the spring of 1998. The second was Hockney's assistance with getting the survey results out to the community. The third was Hockney's persistence with the board to assist in getting funding to continue to the program after the grant ran out.

"I've been very supportive of SAP the past couple of years," Hockney explained. "About two years ago, we conducted a drug and alcohol survey of students coordinated with District 34."

Once the information was gathered, Hockney saw a need to disseminate the information to the community. This was done by including the survey findings in the district newsletter. In addition, presentations were made to various community organizations such as the Rotary Club and the Antioch Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

The survey findings were not viewed as a reflection of the school, but more of the community as a whole, explained Hockney.

One survey result which surprised Hockney was cocaine usage. "That surprised me and got my attention," Hockney said.

The problems students have with alcohol are not unique to Antioch, according to Hockney.

Availability of alcohol is of concern to Hockney; however, he sees

a possibility for the community coming together to combat the problem.

"That's where the community can say we're going to put a stop to this," Hockney explained.

Cooperation between the Antioch Police Department, Chief Charlie Watkins and the school has been good throughout Hockney's five years at ACHS.

ACHS received a drug and alcohol prevention grant which enabled

the school to support a team of staff who could intervene with students having drug or alcohol problems. When the grant funding ran out, Hockney was instrumental in keeping the program going.

"I emphasized with the board of

education if any increment positions were to be added, the Student Assistance Program positions needed to be kept," Hockney explained. "I made sure we had the people in place. We had 10 positions with the grant and the board gave the funding to keep those positions."

"You have to look at the big picture of what's important," Hockney explained. "With every life we touch, we can make a difference, especially when one life has gone astray."

"If we touch a life with every one of those 10 positions, then it's worth every penny," Hockney emphasized. "We're not worried about punishing them. Our job is to help turn them around."

Whether or not the SAP positions are helping will not be known for sure until following next year's survey. That will give school officials new data to compare with the first year.

"My biggest concern is that we continue to work as a school and we're able to get greater community understanding," Hockney said. "It's a bigger problem than just in the school. Most of the incidents do not take place in the school. Instead, they involve youngsters of high school age."

"The issue isn't let's get them in trouble and throw them in jail," Hockney emphasized. "The importance is solving problems of the youngsters and making differences in people's lives."

Gaining the trust of students is viewed as one of the main challenges of the school staff.

"It's a hard sell," Hockney admits. "It's sometimes difficult for students to trust that they can come to you to help solve a problem, or if they come forward, that they aren't going to be in more trouble."

"You have to look at the big picture of what's important. With every life we touch, we can make a difference, especially when one life has gone astray"

Dr. Dennis Hockney,
ACHS Superintendent



This is only a test

Antioch resident Tom Lescher prepares to dive beneath the ice on Round Lake Feb. 5 to be certified as a civilian in ice rescue by the Round Lake and Antioch Fire Departments.—Photo by Sandy Bressner

Wells elected president of Lake County Board of Health for 2000

The Lake County Board of Health has elected Timothy Wells, the Village Administrator of Antioch, as the new president of the Lake County Board of Health. The Board also elected Lucille DeVaux, RN, NHA of Long Grove as secretary, and Gloucester A. Price, MD. of Waukegan as Member-at-Large for 2000. John Schullen, DDS of Libertyville is continuing his two-year term as vice president.

Wells has served on the Board of Health for seven years. He has a long history of public service. Prior to serving as Antioch's Village Administrator, he served as the village's Public Works Administrator 1983-1988 and as Foreman and Chief Operator for Antioch's water and sanitary sewer treatment plant from 1976-1983.

"I'm excited about the upcoming year," he said. "We have a strong and diverse Board of Health and the most competent staff around. I'm looking forward to working together toward our goal of making human services for citizens the best and

most efficient as we can."

He replaces outgoing president Colin McRae of Ingleside, who served on the Board of Health for nine years, and as president for four. "I've never been more proud of my association with a public service organization than with my association with the Health Department," said McRae, who will continue to serve as a Board of Health member.

Schullen, who has served on the Board of Health for seven years, also serves on the County Board as a Representative from District 13 (which includes Libertyville and Green Oaks) and is one of two County Board members on the Board of Health. He maintains a private dental practice in North Chicago, and has been a resident of Lake County since 1972, having moved to Libertyville after serving three years in the United States Army Dental Corps. Dr. Schullen is also active with a number of civic organizations, including the Easter Seal Society, where he is a national director and secretary of the national board, and

the North Chicago and Libertyville Rotary Clubs. He served on the health advisory committee of the Lake County Head Start, is a director of the Lake County Navy League, and has served on the College of Lake County's advisory committee.

DeVaux has served on the Board of Health for six years. She currently works for her husband's business, Dental Lab Specialists, and is a consultant for TL Enterprises.

Price began a two-year term on the Board of Health in 1999. Presently retired, he practiced internal medicine in Waukegan for 35 years. He is well-known and respected in the community, having cared for several generations of families.

All members of the 12-member Board of Health volunteer their time. They are responsible for overseeing programs and developing policies for the Lake County Health Department and Community Health Center to promote physical and emotional health, prevent disease, injury and disability, and protect the environment.

'Grandma Sunny' well remembered at 90

Kids, kids and more kids! Sonia "Grandma Sunny" Arndt from Antioch had a large celebration for her 90th birthday. Sunny's actual birthday, Feb. 7, was celebrated on Feb. 5 with a gathering at Twin Oaks Restaurant in Wilmot, Wis.

In all, there were 84 people in attendance including "a couple little babies," Sunny pointed out. The celebration was planned by two of Sunny's daughters, Cathy Haley from Antioch and Bobbi Erhart from Colorado.

Sunny's two other daughters, Carol Leaf and Cecelia Arndt, were unable to make the celebration.

"There was nothing but love in the air," said Sunny. "Everything was perfect. It was a wonderful party. Everybody enjoyed it."



OUR TOWN

Michael H. Babicz

In attendance were many of Sunny's 18 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren. There were maybe another 65 children Sunny baby-sat for over the years who called her "Grandma Sunny."

A special collection of photos from many of the children Sunny had contact with over the years was put together and presented to her at the party.

Congratulations to Sunny. Just as her nickname implies, it is evi-

dent she has brought many rays of sunshine to all those she has touched—and continues to touch—over the years.

Want to find out about the Underground Railroad in Illinois?

A special presentation will be made by Glennette Tilley Turner at the Antioch Public Library, 757 North Main St., in Antioch.

The program will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 26.

To register for more information, stop at the library circulation desk or call 395-0874.

If you have interesting information or anecdotes to submit for "Our Town" call staff reporter Mike Babicz at 223-8161, ext. 138 or e-mail, edit@lnd.com."

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One of the wild turkey hens is released in Woodstock as part of the trap and release program coordinated by the Illinois Department of Natural Resources, the Illinois Wild Turkey Federation and representatives of the Antioch-based Lake County Longbeards chapter. Plans call for a similar release in the future in Lake County.—Submitted photo

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TURKEY

instincts which help protect them in the wild against predators, starvation and weather conditions.

The relocating process uses bate and netting of some of the flock. Once in the net, volunteers from the various organizations and the IDNR join in crating the birds individually for the relocation. The trap and release programs are conducted in mid-winter because it is the best time to find the birds in large flocks.

Special care is taken to protect their wings and legs to prevent injury which would make them unable to fly once they arrive at their new location.

The release sites are chosen based upon the availability of food and nesting locations.

"In less than one-half hour after being released, you can hear them calling to each other and they will re-flock, locating food, water and nesting spots," Ruxton said, noting the quick adaptability the turkeys have.

Lake County has had one release in the Chain O' Lakes State Park in 1991 of seven hens and two toms.

That same flock now numbers an estimated 250.

Once the toms are released in McHenry County, the project will be concluded for that area. Permits will be issued and a huntable population will be in the area within an estimated three years depending upon how spring and nesting conditions come about.

The success of the relocation and release projects is evidenced by an estimated 30,000 wild turkeys being within the United States in 1930 with a majority in Missouri.

The latest estimate has 5.5 million birds nationwide, thanks to the trap and transplant program.

Poaching, which is the illegal hunting of the birds, is not a problem within Illinois. Ruxton credits the work of the IDNR, conservationists and honorable sportsman and hunters with keeping poaching in check.

The Longbeards group has 89 adult members with 150 "Jakes" or youth members. There is a age limit of 15 to be considered a "Jake," but

no other age limit on joining the group.

Monthly meetings are held the second Thursday of each month in Antioch. For further information on the organization, or the wild turkey program, contact Ruxton at 395-5034.

Teaching canoeing, fishing, trap shooting, hunting and camping are among the outdoor events focused on by the program.

Special youth hunter safety classes and youth only hunts are held to help gain the interest of young people.

"We're a conservation organization which involves education and wildlife habitat improvement, with an emphasis on wild turkeys, but we're all conservationists and want to preserve the wild turkey population in our area," Ruxton added.

Eventual plans for a release within Lake County, in the Antioch area, are in the works. Ruxton says it is probably two years down the road, but sometimes the NWTF makes alterations in its plans.

PATTON

back in 1988."

She said positive changes to Walgreen's that she has seen over the past 12 years have been the addition of one-hour photo service and a debit machine, as well as offering over-the-phone prescription pharmacy service.

"The overall remodeling of the store has been the biggest change," Patton said, who has had the same 8 a.m.-4 p.m. shift for a majority of her career.

Specific changes Patton has seen directly affecting her cashier's position has involved a gradual advancement in how prices are put into the cash register. When Patton first started, she recalled having to punch in the number from the sticker price.

The next step had a scanner built into the counter. The newest scanner is built right into the keyboard.

"It's been a help which makes things go faster," Patton admits.

"They did some remodeling, some which people would say is good and some may say it's bad," Patton said, referring to Walgreen's decision to remove the liquor department.

Changes in the community have been witnessed by Patton. "When I first came out here, there were little farm stands," Patton explained. "Now there's McDonald's, Burger King, Taco Bell and others."

"It's still been nice," Patton said. "I've made a lot of friends. Meeting those familiar faces from the past made it very nice, too."

Admittedly, Patton faced the retirement date with some apprehension.

"I don't have any direct family out here since my husband's passing," Patton said, quick to admit she has been fortunate to have a lot of "adopted family" through her position at the store.

After getting settled in her new home, Patton plans to spend some time with her daughter and sister-in-law, "doing relaxing, fun things."

As to whether Patton's retirement is final, she admits she may see about getting some type of part-time job.

"I plan on being with family and doing family things, a kind of catch up time for all of those things I've

missed over the years being so far away," Patton said.

Since word got out of her retirement, including the posting of it on one side of the Walgreen's sign by her bosses, people have been stopping in to wish her well. "The sign board really got their attention," Patton said.

"Everybody who has been coming in, or I meet at the bank or at stores have been wishing me well," Patton said. "It's so heart warming. That's what makes it so hard to leave."

"I'm going to miss everybody," Patton explained. "The people I work with, my bosses, it's been a lot of fun."

Patton especially thanked her store managers over the years including Peggy Leonard, Dave Haben and

John Heleniak.

"It's going to seem strange not coming down here every morning," Patton added.

A lunch is planned for Patton at 1 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 19 at JT's Roadhouse. "Anybody and everybody who wants to come is welcome," Patton added.

"I want to thank everybody I've met over the years for being so nice and accepting me," said Patton, with a slight hesitation in her shy voice. "Everyone's been very outstanding. I've enjoyed them and their jokes."

"I thank all of the people, from kids to grownups, who've come in over the years. I wish them all well," Patton concluded. "I'm going to miss them."

TRUCK

ment, which cost \$647,000, includes a ladder which can extend to 102 feet (approximately 10 stories), a platform and a basket on the end. The cost was split 50-50 between the fire district and the village of Antioch.

The benefits of having such a piece of equipment were viewed by both sides as worth the expenditure.

The American LaFrance Ladder Towers, Inc. Elexis truck can double as a fire fighting engine since it includes a pump and small tank. The truck can establish its own water supply by hooking up to hydrants and pumping the water through the truck or up to the platform nozzle.

There is a 5-inch master stream

pipe which can shoot water to the top of the aerial pumped at 1,500 gallons per minute resulting in a nozzle flow of 1,000 gallons per minute. This type of truck will be able to be used in the case of a major industrial fire to get the water over other nearby buildings or fences if necessary.

"We realized the need for such a truck when we had an apartment fire on Main St. and the closest ladder truck was Round Lake or Fox Lake," said Lt. Chris Lienhardt, Antioch Fire Department public information officer.

"Nowadays, with the light weight construction of buildings, the roofs aren't as safe to work on and many of

the pitches on roofs are too steep for us to work on safely," Lienhardt said.

Chief Dennis Volling appointed a committee to explore the options of getting a ladder truck. Following the committee's recommendations for equipment to be included on the truck, bids were accepted. The company in Elexis, Ill., came through with a "top of the line" bid, but included outfitting the truck with the equipment which the committee wanted.

Another bid came in at \$680,000 without any equipment, Lienhardt explained.

"It wasn't a hasty decision," Lienhardt said of the committee's work. "We worked hand-in-hand

with the manufacturer."

Among the equipment included on the new truck is full auto extrication gear, ventilation units, lights and its own generator.

Once the truck is put in service, which is expected to be by the end of February, the department will review the possibility of being re-evaluated for an improved insurance rating. The new truck and the equipment which it contains is expected to assist in a potential lowering of the fire rating for businesses and residences within the district.

The reduction is estimated at one point for within the village, from a five to four, and from a seven to six

in the township.

"There's no guarantee," Lienhardt said of the rate change. No date has been set to have the fire rating organization come in, but it is expected sometime this year.

The truck will alternate between Antioch's two stations.

In addition to the potential heights which the truck is capable of reaching, the platform bucket can be used to help evacuate buildings such as the senior citizens housing where individuals could be physically limited and unable to climb down a ladder.

"It's not a life safety issue just for the fire victims," Lienhardt emphasized. "It is for the firefighter, too."

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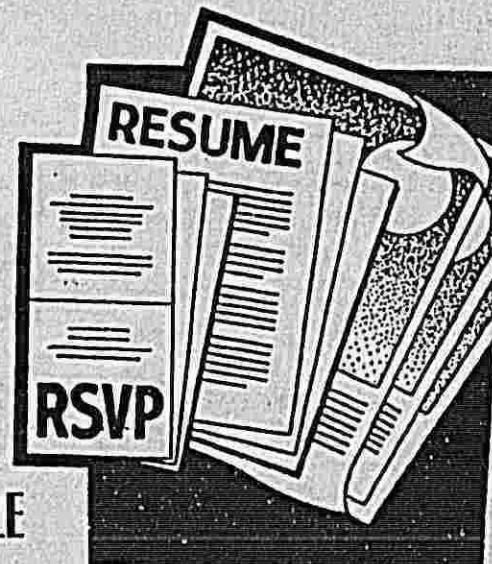
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ANTIOCH

Suspended license

Edward M. Davis, 23, 9873 Logan Ct., Zion was stopped by Antioch Police at 11:45 p.m. Feb. 10. Davis was observed driving a green Lincoln while eastbound on Rte. 173 at Deep Lake Rd. The car reportedly had a passenger side head lamp which was inoperative. Davis informed the officer his driver's license was suspended and he was not sure if the vehicle was insured or not. Upon checking, Davis was found to have a suspended driver's license for a mandatory insurance violation. Davis was transported to the Antioch Police Department where he received tickets for improper lighting-one head lamp, operating an uninsured vehicle and driving while having a license suspended. Davis was released on a personal recognizance bond pending a court date of 9 a.m. March 8 at Branch III Court in Grayslake.

Carlos J. Hidalgo, 28, 519 Longview, Antioch was stopped by Antioch Police at 9:32 p.m. Feb. 7 at Depot and Center Sts. in Antioch. Hidalgo was reportedly driving a Dodge Neon westbound on Depot St., clocked at 47 MPH in a 35 MPH zone. Hidalgo produced a Illinois driver's license and valid insurance card when requested to do so by the officer. Hidalgo was found to have a suspended driver's license for financial reasons and was transported to the Antioch Police Station. Hidalgo was charged with speeding and driving while on a suspended license. Hidalgo was released on a personal recognizance bond pending a court date of 10:30 a.m. March 22 at Branch III Court in Grayslake.

DUI

William P. Shales, 908 Hillandale, Antioch was stopped by Antioch Police at 11:56 p.m. Feb. 9 on Deep Lake Rd. south of Rte. 173. Shales was observed driving a tan Honda Civic while westbound on Rte. 173 allegedly at a high rate of speed. Shales was clocked at 75 MPH in a 50 MPH zone. When the officer asked Shales for a driver's license and insurance card, Shales reportedly presented a Illinois identification card and valid insurance card. After a computer check, Shales came back with a valid driver's license. While speaking to Shales, the officer detected a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage on his breath and his eyes were red and glassy. Shales reportedly slurred his words when speaking. Shales complied with the officer's request for field sobriety tests. Shales was transported to the Antioch Police Station, charged with driving under the influence and possession of cannabis and given a court date of 9 a.m. March 7 at Branch III Court in Grayslake.

No valid license

Adolfo Marquez-Martinez, 19, 421 Formingdale, Vernon Hills, was stopped by Antioch Police at 11:09 p.m. Feb. 7 while eastbound on Rte. 173 at Harden. Martinez was reportedly driving a blue Ford van eastbound on Rte. 173 clocked at 59 MPH in a 40 MPH zone. Martinez was pulled over at Rte. 173 east of McMillen Rd. Martinez stated to the officer he did not have a driver's license. After running Martinez's identifiers through the computer, he was found to have no record on file. Martinez was transported to the Antioch Police Station where he was charged with speeding, having an obstructed windshield and driving without a valid driver's license. Martinez was released on a \$100

cash bond with a court date of 10:30 a.m. March 8 at Branch III Court in Grayslake.

Jose J. Hernandez, 27, 4 Lippincott #1, Fox Lake, was stopped on Rte. 83 and Windsor Terrace by Antioch Police at 11:46 a.m. Feb. 8. Hernandez was reportedly driving a Chrysler station wagon northbound on Rte. 83 when he was clocked at 45 MPH in a 30 MPH zone. Hernandez was pulled over at Rte. 83 and Chestnut where he produced a valid insurance card and said he did not have a driver's license. Hernandez was transported to the Antioch Police Station where he received tickets for speeding and having no valid driver's license. Hernandez was released on a personal recognizance bond with a court date of 10:30 a.m. March 8 at Branch III Court in Grayslake.

Patrick K. Carey, 17, 35603 N. Wilson Rd., Ingleside, was stopped by Antioch Police at 6:35 p.m. Feb. 6. Carey was observed driving a red Dodge Caravan northbound on Rte. 83 at North Ave. with one headlight and no rear registration light illuminated. Carey's driver's license came back on the computer check canceled by the secretary of state's office. Carey was transported to the Antioch Police Station where he was given courtesy tickets for improper head lighting-one head lamp and having no rear registration plate light. Carey received a ticket for having no valid driver's license. Released on a personal recognizance bond, Carey has a court date of March 22 at Branch III Court in Grayslake.

LINDENHURST

DUI resists arrest

Kevin M. McGuire, 31, of 8917 Oriole St. in Morton Grove was arrested by Lindenhurst police on Feb. 6 at 7:20 pm for driving under the influence of alcohol. He was also charged with two counts of driving off the roadway, two counts of improper lane usage, reckless driving, disobeying a stop sign, failure to use headlights, driving an uninsured motor vehicle, leaving the scene of an accident with property damage, and resisting arrest.

McGuire refused all field sobriety tests and breathalyzer tests when arrested. He repeatedly hesitated to co-operate when the responding officer requested him to keep his hands in view. At the Lindenhurst police station, McGuire had difficulty spelling his last name. He refused to answer questions without his attorney present. He was put in a holding cell. Then he apologized for his driving, and asked for a break because his uncle was a sergeant with the Chicago Police Dept.

McGuire was released after posting \$300 cash bond. He has a court date of Feb. 23, at 9 am in Room C402 in Waukegan. His vehicle is being held pending seizure.

Animal running at large

On Feb. 8, at 11 am, Charles Behrendt, 41, of 2318 Springhill Ln. in Lindenhurst, was issued a summons for allowing his dog to run loose to chase deer in McDonalds Wood Forest Preserve. A complaint was made by a local resident who observed Behrendt's dog running on Beck Rd. Behrendt would not agree to stop his dog from running loose, although Lindenhurst police advised him that it is an ordinance violation. He was issued a summons for animal running at large, marked "must appear." Behrendt was unable to post \$75 bond. He signed an "I-Bond", promising to

appear at Branch III Court in Grayslake on March 1 at 1:30 p.m.

DUI and cannabis

Jacobi R. Marotta, 20, of 36400 Rte. 45 in Lake Villa was arrested by Lindenhurst police on Feb. 7 at 9 p.m. for driving under the influence of drugs, speeding, possession of cannabis and possession of drug paraphernalia. When stopped by police, Marotta was driving at a speed of 59 MPH in a 45 MPH zone. The responding officer detected an odor of cannabis coming from inside the vehicle. A search of the suspect revealed a substance concealed in his sock. Field tests identified the substance as cannabis. The passenger seat was occupied by a female juvenile, who was searched by a female officer. The girl told police the suspect had put a joint in the ashtray of the vehicle. A search of the vehicle turned up a joint in the ashtray. A metal tube with a substance in it was also found. No illegal substances were found in the girl's possession, no charges were

filed against her, and she was released to her mother. Marotta, who refused blood and urine tests, was arrested and released on \$3,000 personal recognizance bond. The joint, the metal tube, and the substances found were sent to a lab for analysis. Marotta has a court date in Waukegan.

LAKE VILLA

Accident leads to DUI

Following an accident reported on Feb. 7 at 4:30 p.m., Adalberto Gomez, 31, of 701 Waters Edge in Lake Villa, was arrested and charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident, open or illegal transport of alcohol, and no driver's license on his person.

When Lake Villa police responded to a call about a two car accident near Walgreen's, the responding officer noticed a strong odor of alcoholic beverage on Gomez's breath.

The accident occurred when

the 1990 Lincoln Towncar driven by Gomez struck the rear of a 1998 Jeep Grand Cherokee driven by James Ellis of Lake Villa.

When questioned, Gomez admitted to drinking two or three beers at first, then said he had four or five beers. The officer observed Gomez had red, glassy eyes, slurred speech, and poor balance. He swayed on his feet, and he fumbled with his license and registration. A search of the car revealed an open 12 oz. bottle of beer under the driver's seat. There was also a large quantity of beer in bottles and cans in the trunk of the car. The car was inventoried and towed.

Gomez refused to take a breathalyzer test. Lindenhurst police reported his attitude was "belligerent, cocky and insulting," noting he accused police of harassing him because he is Mexican. Gomez, who was released on \$300 bond, is to appear in Room C-402 in the Waukegan Courthouse on March 2 at 9 a.m.

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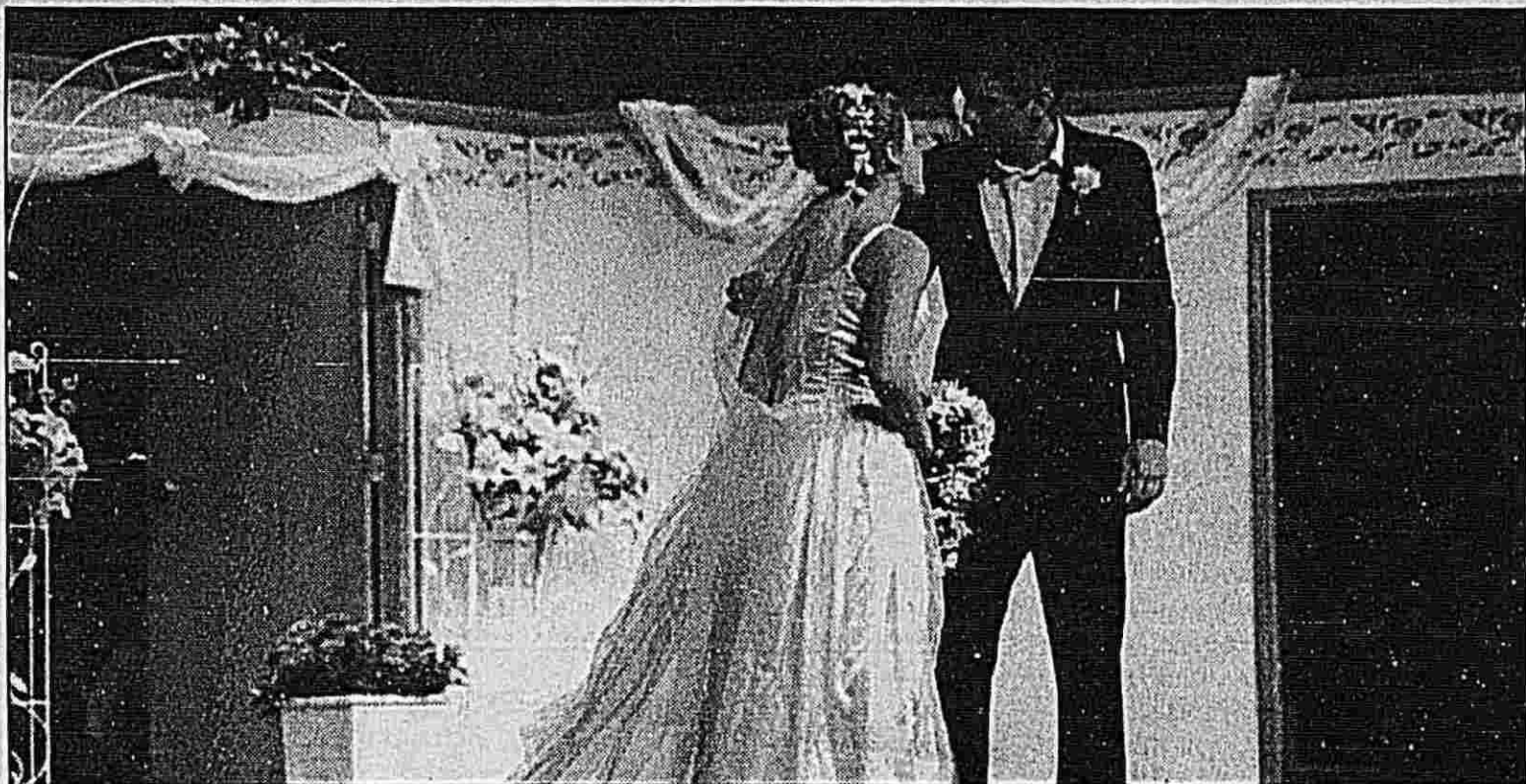
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Here comes the bride

Shannon Lee Day, in the role of Kay Banks, and Ben Garrison, as her father George Banks, perform a scene from "Father of the Bride" in the student-directed production at Antioch Community High School Feb. 13.—Photo by Don Kalkman

Clue headlines AJWC's Comedy Night

By MICHAEL H. BABICZ
Community Editor

It is time for laughs to benefit the community.

The 4th Annual Comedy Night, sponsored by the Antioch Junior Woman's Club (AJWC), will be held at 7 p.m. Saturday, March 4 at St. Peter's Church Fr. Hanley Center in Antioch.

The Comedy Night show will follow featured performances by comedians Tim Clue and Monica Carter.

After receiving a MFA in directing at Eastern Michigan University, Clue moved to Chicago landing his first professional acting gig in the

long running comedy "Girl's Guide to Chaos."

At the same time, Clue began honing his standup act at Chicago comedy spots and soon after decided to start his own theater company.

He is a regular at the famed Chicago Zanies and this year is headlining in Seattle, Denver, Detroit and Milwaukee.

Comedy Night is the AJWC's yearly fund-raising event. It provides the majority of the funds the club uses in its endeavors to benefit the community.

Profits from the Comedy Night go towards helping local organizations including Antioch area school programs, Antioch Rescue Squad,

Guiding Eyes for the Blind, Save a Life Foundation, needy families and much more.

This year's comedy night will celebrate AJWC's 13 years of service to the community.

The evening will begin with hot hors d'oeuvres, a cash bar and a silent auction.

Tickets are \$15 per person and attendees must be 21 to enter.

Comedy Night tickets are available at First National Bank-Employee Owned, Antioch Family Chiropractic or any member of the AJWC.

For more information on Comedy Night or AJWC, contact Karen Kubin at 838-2265.

Antioch thanks Catholic Charities with donation

By MICHAEL H. BABICZ
Community Editor

Antioch Township officials expressed appreciation to Catholic Charities of Lake County for its assistance to township residents.

A donation check for \$2,000 was presented to Catholic Charities representatives at the regular township meeting Feb. 10.

Most of the donation will be used to assist the seniors' Meals on Wheels program. This particular Catholic Charities program benefits 49 people who live in the township and have meals delivered to their homes.

An additional 171 have meals regularly served to them at the senior center. The meal programs are served Monday through Friday.

"I'm glad we were able to donate to them," said Kathleen Smith, Antioch Township clerk. "This is the first time we've been able to."

"Their services are wonderful," Smith continued. "Especially the

Meals on Wheels. It helps keep the seniors independent, and we know they're getting nutritious meals."

Catholic Charities programs include physician referral service, consumer credit counseling and senior community services.

The physician referral service program is anticipated to assist about 40 residents by the end of the year, explained Smith.

The program helps low income residents find physicians who are willing to treat them despite income limitations.

Smith said the township reviews the organizations which provide services to the residents on an annual basis. When funds are available in the community service portion of the budget, the township board makes determinations if donations are possible.

Township residents interested in finding out more about Catholic Charities programs can contact the township office 395-3378 or Catholic Charities on Lewis Ave. in Waukegan 782-4116.

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Kathleen Smith,
Antioch Township Clerk

Knights overtake 'LoveFest'

By MICHAEL H. BABICZ
Community Editor

It is time for tights and swords!! Medieval Knights is taking over the "LoveFest" cruise boat for this year.

All residents of the Antioch and surrounding communities are invited into the makeshift medieval castle at the Antioch VFW Hall Saturday, Feb. 26.

Several community and civic leaders have been invited to take part in a special "jousting match" for the evening. One of the "jousting" activities will be a tug-o-war.

Funds specifically raised during the jousting will go to the Antioch Community High School scholarship fund.

This event is part of the Antioch

Chamber of Commerce and Industry's largest fund-raiser of the year.

All attending will turn into "Lords and Ladies" for the evening, according to Barbara Porch, executive director of the chamber.

Food, such as turkey legs, will be consumed by hands only. The food will be prepared by Maravella's Catering of Fox Lake. Guests are asked to purchase tickets in advance on account of the fact that it will be catered.

Bountiful tables of items will be available for the silent auction.

Tickets may be reserved by phoning the chamber at 395-2233 or by stopping by the chamber's Main St. office. There will be a limited number of tickets available at the door the night of the event. The cost is \$15 per person.

Porch expects some individuals to dress for the era. "Tights are optional, with jeans being fine," Porch added.

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NEIGHBORS

Name: Anna Conners

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Occupation: Karate instructor/Antioch Shotokan Karate

I'm originally from: Okinawa, Japan

I graduated from: High School - Woodstock High School; College - Eureka College, BA in Economics and Business

My family consists of: Mike, husband; Graham & Shane, sons

My pets are: Buddie, dog; Bandit, Friskie & Yuki, cats; Digger, turtle

What I like best about my town: It's a very warm community.

What I like best about my job: Meeting people and getting a feeling of accomplishment when I teach

The secret to my success is: Support from my family and friends

I relax by: Gardening, crocheting and basket weaving

My perfect day in Antioch would be: Being at home with my family

Last book I read: "The Mental Edge" by Kenneth Baum

Favorite TV show is: "X-Files" and "The Pretender"

Favorite movie is: "White Christmas"

Favorite music: Celtic

Favorite band or musician: Chicago, Backstreet Boys

Favorite restaurant: Outback Steakhouse, Gurnee

My life's motto is: "Just Do It."

If I could be anyone in history, I would be: Joan of Arc

If I won the lottery, I would: Be as charitable as I would hope to be

My greatest accomplishments are: My family and my career

I want to be remembered as: Someone who has a lot to give and did

People who knew me in high school would say: What a change!

My pet peeve is: Procrastinators

Most interesting person I ever met was: All of my instructors whether it be karate or school

My dream job would be: Currently doing it.

If I had a plane ticket to anywhere, I would go to: Okinawa with my family

If you have a "Neighbor" that you would like to see profiled in this column, call Neal Tucker at 223-8161



LOCAL DIGEST

Business Expo registration open

Registration is underway for the 4th Annual Business Expo Trade Show sponsored by the Antioch Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

The traditional springtime event will be held Saturday and Sunday, March 25-26, at Antioch Community High School.

One of the highlights of this year's show will be a daily give away of trip to Las Vegas

For more information or to sign up, contact the Chamber at 395-2233.

First National Bank hosts blood drive

First National Bank-Employee Owned located at 485 Lake St. in Antioch will be holding a blood drive 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m. on Saturday, March 18 in the community room in the lower level of the bank.

Volunteers need to be at least 17 years old (16 year olds may donate with written parental consent), weigh a minimum of 110 pounds and be in healthy condition. Volunteers can donate blood once every eight weeks.

To schedule a time to give blood on March 18, call Karen Kubin at 838-2265. Walk-ins will be accepted.

BIRTHS

Kurt Edward Stahl Jr., a son, Kurt Edward, was born Jan. 5 at Condell Medical Center, Libertyville to Kurt and Beth Stahl of Antioch. Grandparents are Roger and Joan Stahl of Antioch and Henry and Martha Schmidt of Alden. Great grandparents are Lillian Schmidt of Antioch; Flora Mitchell of Antioch; (the late) Mr. and Mrs.

Harold Barski and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Stahl Sr.

David Scott Van Patten, a son, David Scott, was born Jan. 2 at Lake Forest Hospital to Jeff and Cindy Van Patten of Antioch. He has a brother, Samuel, age 2. Grandparents are Peggy Van Patten of Mesa, Ariz. and Jerry Van Patten (deceased); Janice Poehler of Spring Grove and Bennie McGraw (deceased).

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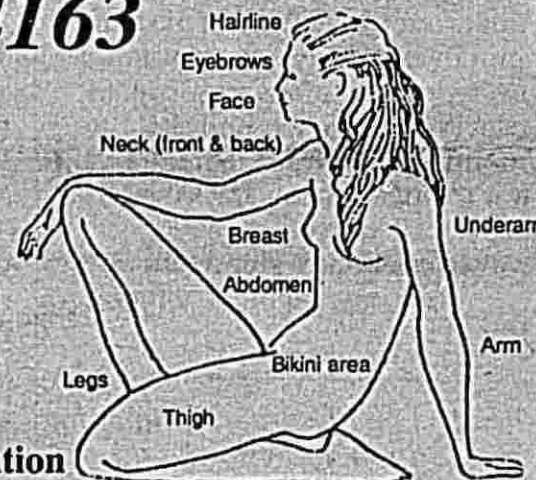
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Vacation photography tips for the amateur

by JIM WARNKEN, PRESIDENT, NORTH STAR TRAVEL, INC.

If you're into things like f-stops, focal lengths, shutter speeds, etc., this article is not for you. If, however, you prefer the "one button does all" type of camera and most of your picture taking is done on vacation, you may find the following tips helpful.

Let's start by pulling out the vacation pictures from last year's trip to Disney World. Now put the ones you find really interesting in one pile and the boring ones in another.

I'll bet the interesting shots include things like the look of joy (or fear) on little Bobby's face the first time he saw that six-foot-tall Mouse. Or maybe it's the shot of Dawn staring up in wonder at Cinderella's Castle.

Included in the boring stack are probably the view from the hotel window or various general shots of the park.

So, what's the difference between the pictures we like and those which we can't even remember why we took?

It's called a "center of interest." In other words, interesting pictures usually include a person, object, or some action upon which the picture is based. This is not the shot of the family standing under the sign, "Welcome to Disney World." The best pictures are not posed. Some sort of action also brings life to pictures.

Some minor technical advice. I've found film speed of ASA 200 to be a good choice for most vacation photos. It can also make several passes through airport security machines with no damage.

One accessory you might want to purchase is a polarized filter. Among other things, it will allow you to take pictures through windows without getting reflections.

Remember, a well-planned photograph is more important than a \$500 camera.

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Calendar

Friday, Feb. 18

7 p.m., Lake County Astronomical Society meets at the Libertyville Main fire station on Milwaukee Ave., call 362-0959 for info.

7:30 p.m., Lake County Camera Club meets at Warren Twp. Center Citizen Bldg. on Washington St. in Gurnee, info. at 856-1583

Fri. & Sat. at 8 p.m., Sun. at 2:30 p.m., PM&L Theatre presents the comedy "Picasso at the Lapin Agile" at the theatre, 877 Main St. in Antioch. Tickets \$10/adults, \$8/students, call 395-3055

Saturday, Feb. 19

10 a.m.-Noon, AFTER Fibromyalgia support group meets at the Community Bldg., 884 Main St., in Antioch, call 395-5123 for details

10 a.m.-4 p.m., Arts & Crafts Show held at College of Lake County Physical Education Center (Bldg. #7), Washington St. & US 45 in Grayslake, \$2 admission. Call 223-1444 or 356-7499

Sunday, Feb. 20

7-9 p.m., Open Gym at Antioch Community High School for adults 18 and over. Cost is \$2

Monday, Feb. 21

12:45 p.m., Bingo at Antioch Senior Center, info. at 395-7120

6:45 p.m., Bingo at Antioch Moose Lodge, Rte. 173, 2 miles west of Antioch, info. at 395-9780

7:30 p.m., Antioch Village Board meets at village hall

7:30 p.m., Antioch Coin Club meets at Antioch Public Library

7:30 p.m., Lakes Area Community Band at ACHS, info. at 395-5566

Tuesday, Feb. 22

9:30 a.m., New Woodcarving Club meets at the Community Protestant Church, 418 N. Prairie in Mundelein. Bring your ideas, carving tools, and a project you're working on. Call 623-2072

11 a.m., Antioch AARP Chapter 387 (for adults 55 and older) meets at Antioch Senior Center, 817 Holbeck Dr., for more information, call 395-5068

6:45 p.m., Antioch VFW Bingo, doors open 4:30 p.m., 395-5393

7 p.m., Lake County Philatelic Society meets at the Warren-Newport Public Library, 224 N. O'Plaine Rd. in Gurnee, 244-4048

7 p.m., Antioch Public Library District Board meets

Wednesday, Feb. 23

6:30 p.m., CPR classes sponsored by the Antioch Rescue Squad, at the Rescue Squad Bldg., 835 Holbek Dr., \$5, call 395-5511

Thursday, Feb. 24

7:15-8:30 a.m., The Womens Referral Assoc. meets at Copper Creek Grill on Lakeview Parkway, east of Butterfield Rd. in Vernon Hills. Call Jeanne Silver at 387-1500 or Deneane at 548-5529

7:30 p.m., Lakes Region Historical Society meets at the museum, 817 Main St., Antioch for info., call 395-0899 or 395-1453

7:30 p.m., Irish American Club meets at State Bank of the Lakes in Antioch, call 395-3942

GOT SOMETHING GOING ON? CALL US!

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Catholic Schools Week was smashing success

The week of Jan. 31-Feb. 6 was designated Catholic Schools Week and our very own St. Peter School, here in good old Antioch, celebrated with various activities and events. On Monday, Jan. 31 the upper grade students buddied up with the lower grade students for a day of storytelling, jump roping, and "math shaker" projects. The parking lot was awash with chatter as the kids came out babbling about the various activities they took part in.

Tuesday was spirit day which gave the students a chance to wear their school colors—this is a major thing when one has to wear a uniform everyday. Oh, the thought that went behind each outfit was overwhelming. The school spelling bee was held that afternoon, and while there was a separate competition for the first and second graders, the rest of the school met in the gym for an afternoon of quivering nerves and knocking knees. The kids faired pretty well, but the parents sitting in the audience were a nervous wreck, with their deodorant working overtime.

Wednesday was the winter picnic in which parents were able to eat lunch with their children. The cafeteria staff outdid themselves and managed to fill all the hungry tummies with a feast of typical picnic fare and the much-in-demand brownies. Our compliments to the chefs.

Thursday was the much anticipated science fair and classroom open house. The creativity of the science projects was oozing out the gym doors as the students worked diligently to prove and disprove various published theories on gravity, electricity and famous brand laundry detergents. Although as parents we try so hard not to intervene in these matters, come Wednesday night at 10 p.m., in kitchens across the township, there were a lot of parents getting involved in creating masterpieces out of clay, pipe cleaners and duct



JINGLE FROM PRINGLE

Lynn Pringle

tape—don't laugh, your day will come.

After wandering through the gym, it was up to the individual classrooms to get a feel of what really happens on a daily basis in those rooms. It's kind of like the rushed morning routine every household experiences, except it's multiplied by as much as 23.

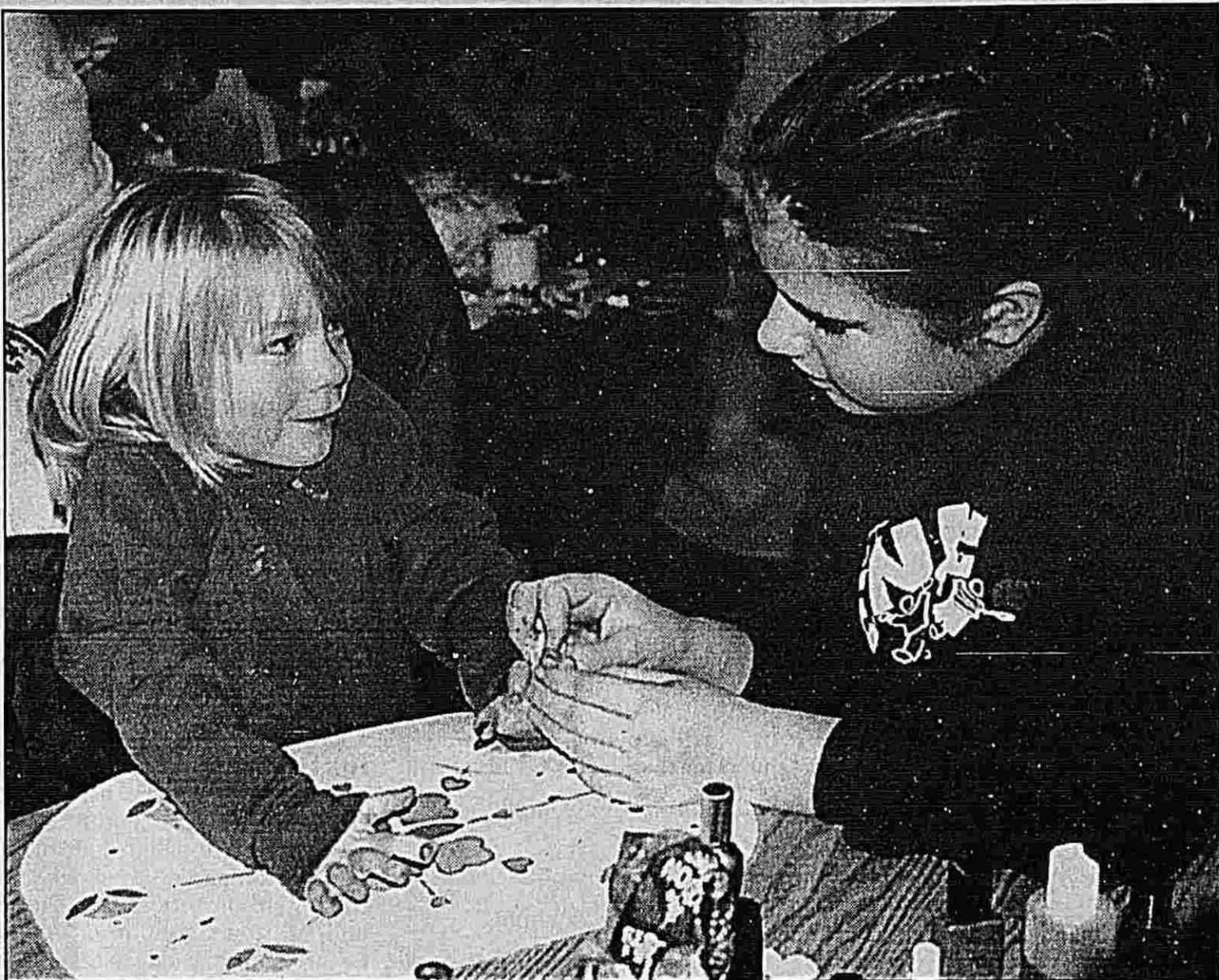
Teachers must be given a whole lot of extra graces each and every day, and they should be sainted upon retirement. It's hard to imagine how little Johnny and Susie really act when mom and dad aren't sitting in the back of the room. By the end of the week the spirits were high, and the souls were refreshed when the whole school gathered as a community for a family Mass sponsored by the student council.

After an early dismissal, which was a perfect ending to a grand week, all those interested, headed up to Willmot Ski Hills for the grand finale: a family ski outing. Although there were a few minors bumps, some major bruises and a couple of brushes with some fencing, it was basically a great time.

On Sunday, the school threw its doors open to anyone in the community that wished to view its everyday operations, get acquainted with the teachers and classrooms or maybe just to munch on a few donuts. Looking back over the activity filled week, it was a great way to celebrate a grand school.

And so goes another "Jingle from Pringle."

Readers with information for "Jingle from Pringle" should call Lynn Pringle at 395-6364.



Beauty shop

Erin Hogan, 4, paints her nails with Heather Jones, 12, during Antioch Lower Grade School's Fun Fair Feb. 5.—Photo by Kirsten N. Hough

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Earned honors

Emily Ayre, daughter of Laura Ayre, was named to Carthage College Dean's list.

National Flying event

Brian Lazansky of Antioch took first place in the aircraft pre-flight inspection event at the National Intercollegiate Flying Association Regionals at the University of Illinois. Lazansky is a sophomore, majoring in aviation flight management at Lewis University in Romeoville.

Dean's list

Meagan Tripp of Antioch has

been named to the dean's list at Alma College. She is a graduate of Antioch Community High School.

Bachelor Science degree

Andrea Kuhn, daughter of Garry Kuhn of Antioch, received a Bachelor of Science degree at Bradley University.

Omicron Delta Kappa

Jamie Hope, a junior majoring

in English at Augustana University. She is the daughter of Michael and Geraldine Hope of Antioch.

Marketing major

Kurt Hintz, has earned a Bachelor of Business Administration degree with a major in Marketing at the University of Iowa.

Bradley University

Stacey Parks of Antioch has been named to the dean's list at Bradley University.

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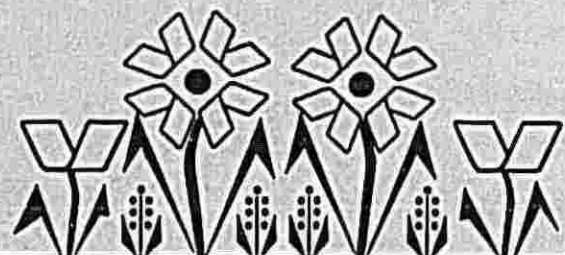
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Hard work made fun

We not only refer to 'hooping it up' as a pseudonym for the physical playing, but rather the rhetoric and zaniness usually accompanying "The World's Greatest Basketball Show."

Of course, inference is made to the Harlem Globetrotters, who will be on hand to dazzle the crowd Friday and Saturday, February 25-26 at the Allstate Arena in Rosemont.

While it might be regional time for the high school girls, the Globetrotters are sure to offer basketball of a less serious nature. In fact, they are downright hilarious.

There is still competitiveness involved but this is based on fun.

From the fancy dribbling and crazy audience participation that seems to accompany them wherever they travel, the Globetrotters have been entertaining universally on the hardwood for over seven decades.

Every ilk of fan is sure to enjoy these guys and it's a sure hit for families and kids.

It all began in 1927 when founder and owner Abe Saperstein packed his players in a rickety old Model 'T' and drove them to Hinckley, IL. The team was originally called the Savoy Big Five, named after a popular ballroom in Chicago that sponsored them.

African-Americans were not allowed in professional basketball leagues at the time. But Saperstein's first team was every bit as talented as their white counterparts and needed a chance to prove it and that's exactly what Saperstein achieved.

Saperstein, a 24-year-old Jewish immigrant from London, recognized their need to compete and prove to the world the kind of athletic backbone they possessed. So he selected the very best players he could find.

In the initial contests, players such as Tommy Brookins, Inman Jackson, and William Grant dazzled partisan crowds.

In 1930, Saperstein changed the name to the Harlem Globetrotters. The emphasis was that this was an all-black team, which, thanks to their hard work and determination, became the hallmark of basketball excellence. The whites-only sanctions were justified with writings and theories that 'colored people' lacked skills such a complicated game.

The Globetrotters played their first major city, Detroit, in 1932 and two years later marked their 1,000th game.

Then, in 1939, the team was leading the opposition 112-5 and the guys, realizing the lead was not in jeopardy, started joking around.

The crowd loved it and Saperstein informed players that it was fine to clown, but only when a big lead had been established.

The legendary Jackson, who created the now-famous pivot role that the players perform the famous weave around, was dubbed the first "Clown Prince." In 1954, George Meadowlark Lemon debuted. Lemon, perhaps the most famous of all 'Clown Princes,' donned the red, white and blue for 24 years and 9,984 games.

Saperstein, after witnessing 8,945 games with only 330 defeats, passed away in March, 1966 during the team's 40th anniversary.

Many legends have worn the stars and stripes. But there's only one way to find out who's masterminding the trickery present-day.

Tickets and inquiries to witness "World's Greatest Basketball Show" can be obtained by calling (847) 635-6601.

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SPORTS

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Hlinak looking for redemption at state tourney

By JOHN PHELPS
Sports Editor

Ryan Hlinak is on a mission.

Antioch High's three-time state qualifier will look to cap off a brilliant season and career in his quest for a title this weekend at the individual state wrestling tournament in Champaign Friday and Saturday.

Last Saturday, the 135-pound senior qualified for the finals after finishing second in the Barrington sectional.

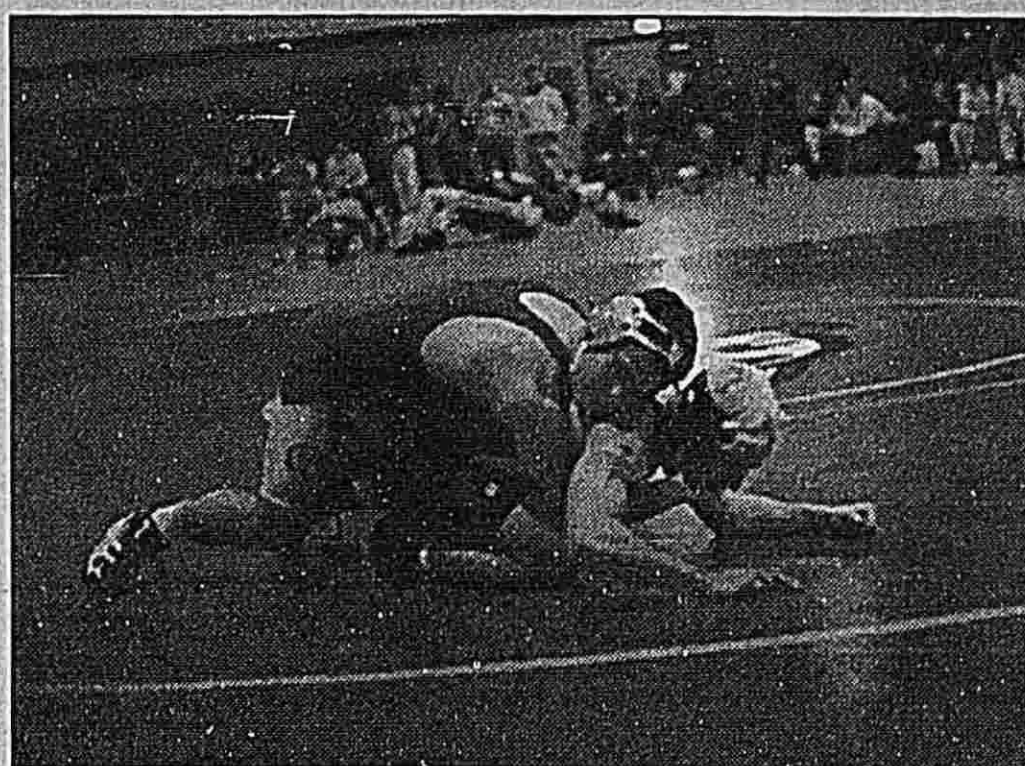
Hlinak, who's dual record stands at 29-5 on the year, lost to Waukegan's Willie Bell 5-3 in the finals. Bell is responsible for three of Hlinak's five losses this season.

"Willie's very fast, strong, and dedicated," said Sequoits seventh-year head coach Ted Sieckowski. "A lot of chips have to fall Ryan's way but he's as good as anyone out there and you never know there's always a lot of heartbreakers as well as surprises down there (at state)."

Another guy who Hlinak might face in the state meet is Romeoville's Paul Collum, who has accounted for Ryan's other two defeats this season, including a close 8-6 decision in the Sandburg tournament back in December.

"We're hoping it will get to the point where he meets Paul in the semifinals," added Sieckowski. "Ryan has a tough road ahead of him but he's working hard and is very focused. Hopefully we'll be able to capitalize on the knowledge gained from wrestling those two guys previously this season."

Senior 215-pounder Jeff Giernoth qualified for sectionals but had



Antioch wrestler Ryan Hlinak mixes it up with a Fremd opponent in an early-season dual match. The 135-pounder qualified for this weekend's state finals after finishing second in the Barrington sectional.—Photo by Steve Young

to bow out during the wrestlebacks because of an uncontrollable bloody nose.

"It was unfortunate for Jeff because he had a great career with us," noted Sieckowski. "He improved steadily over the last four years."

Giernoth, who was 23-8 in dual meets this season, finished second in the regionals. Perhaps one of his most proud accomplishments was earning a 10-7 victory over Mundelein's Ken Covganka, a guy who had defeated Jeff three previous times.

"Jeff really put it together in that match," said Sieckowski. "Again, it

was unfortunate he couldn't qualify for state. Injuries have really plagued him this season but he's a warrior and fought through all of them and still did an outstanding job for us."

Another solid individual season was turned in by freshman 119-pounder Dan Gibson, who qualified for sectionals following a third-place showing at regionals.

Unfortunately, Dan, who finished the year with a 9-14 record, lost his first two matches at Barrington and was eliminated during the wrestlebacks.

"But for only being a freshman, that is still quite an accomplishment

to get to that point," said Sieckowski. "He realizes he still has a long career ahead of him and that there's work to be done. But I was really impressed for as young as he is."

Overall, Sieckowski's squad turned in a respectable season given the injuries they had been dealt.

"It was kind of depressing because we were so decimated by injuries," the coach said. "We're not used to that. We lost some tight matches but nonetheless, they very exciting. But the kids are tough—they competed hard and kept coming through."

Next year looks very promising, as most of the Sequoits will be returning.

"We have the talent base and solid nucleus," said Sieckowski. "Work in the offseason will be very important because even though the talent is there, we're still going to be relatively young."

Key returnees for the 2000-2001 campaign include the likes of seniors-to-be Thor Swanson (103), Tommy Hart (112 pounds), Bill Damron (119), Rob Grasser (140), and Ryan Smart (145).

Upcoming juniors will include Mike Wheeler (145 or 152), Steve Oliver (160), and Tom Chicote (189).

Ryan Schuster is a talented freshman who will also be returning. He will be competing with Swanson at 103 pounds.

Regardless the off-year for Sieckowski and the troops, the team had some fun.

And from the looks and sounds of things, next year should be equally as fun to watch where Sequoit wrestling is concerned.

Fine-tuning name of the game for Sequoit boys

After a tough 56-53 NSC loss Friday, the Antioch varsity boys basketball team rebounded in a big way the following day to the tune of a 56-40 decision over visiting non-conference opponent Wauconda.

Eric White had a stellar weekend, with five three-pointers in a 28-point outing against the Scouts before pouring in 19 against the Bulldogs.

"We played well for about seven quarters. At this time of the year, you just fine-tune a lot of things, especially on the defensive," head coach Jeff Dresser said.

"Eric did a great job. He has been shooting with a lot of confidence."

Antioch's lone bad quarter was a 20-6 deficit after one against Lake Forest. The Sequoits fought back hard the rest of the way, but fell to 5-7 in the North Suburban Conference and 12-12 overall.

Against Wauconda, Dresser was pleased that his team held the visitors to single-digit scoring in

two quarters.

The Sequoits, which led 31-18 at intermission, were never threatened as it used an 11-3 run to open the second frame.

Don Lackey chipped in 15 points and Ari Brown 8 in the winning effort. Antioch has two stern home tests with Warren Friday and Stevenson next Tuesday.

Friday's game tips off at 7:30 p.m. while Tuesday's game is scheduled for a 7 p.m. start.

And maybe the third time will be a charm for eleventh-seeded Antioch, who opens regional play Tuesday, February 29 against who else, Lake Forest, seed sixth.

"I think we can definitely beat them," said Dresser. "We had a nice comeback Friday. If we can apply the defensive pressure early on and finish the game strong, we should be in good shape."

Steve Peterson and John Phelps contributed to this report.

Lady Sequoits thump North Chicago before bowing out to B-G

Woods steps down after seven years

It was a learning season for the young Antioch varsity girls basketball team.

And the learning curve continued earlier this week as the Lady Sequoits entered regional action.

Antioch, which downed North Chicago in two previous meetings this season, recorded the hat trick Monday night to the tune of 41-27 in the opening round of the Stevenson sectional.

Junior center Shelley Wolfram was monstrous, especially on the defensive. That's because Wolfram blocked 13 shots to go along with nine points as Antioch improved to 7-19 on the season.

Meredith Nelson chipped in 14 points in the winning effort.

However, Antioch fell to highly regarded Buffalo Grove the following night, thus ending the 1999-2000 campaign with a 7-20 overall mark.

The second-seeded Bison were never threatened in racing to a 19-3 first-quarter lead.

From there, the hosts were in cruise control en route to a 77-31 victory.

Bethany Shore led Antioch with seven points while Wolfram chipped in with six.

For her efforts this season, Wolfram was named honorable mention all-conference last week.

Incidentally, head coach Dave Woods announced his retirement earlier last week.

After seven years at the helm, he leaves behind a program that is destined to turn the corner.

"I think the program has accomplished some great things in the last seven years," said Woods. "We now have a feeder program and a lot of the girls play summer basketball. I think whoever takes over will have some nice things to work with next year. Plus, the freshman team has only lost three games and will definitely add depth and talent."

The Sequoits are young, which is good. But, according to Woods, they have taken their lumps and bruises this year.

"I think it will all pay off for them next year," he said. "They are going to be a good basketball team. They will have a solid nucleus to work with."

That nucleus will include Jensen, Wolfram, Brown, junior Justine Sinkus, plus sophomores Mueller and Nelson. Sounds like Woods' prediction could be right on the money.

Woods plans on staying on at Antioch teaching physical and driver's education.

John Phelps contributed to this report.

ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Name: Ryan

Hlinak

School:

Antioch

Sport: Wrestling

Year: Senior

Last week's

stats: The 135-

pounder quali-

fied for his third

straight state finals after finishing

second in the Barrington sectional

last weekend.



Hlinak

Name: Shelley

Wolfram

School:

Antioch

Sport: Basketball

Year: Junior

Last week's

stats: Scored

nine points but

wreaked havoc

defensively, blocking 13 shots, as

the Sequoits cruised past North

Chicago 41-27 in the opening

round of regionals.



Wolfram

Hastings Lake Stingrays dominate swim meet

In the summer of 1997, Chris Bertana started the Hastings Lake Stingrays swimming team, comprised of 22 swimmers ages 6-18.

Although Chris has transferred to another YMCA, he still assists with coaching duties for the Stingrays and is one of their strongest supporters.

Jie Li, a world-ranked swimmer in the backstroke for China in her competitive days, took over coaching duties in the summer of 1998.

She is assisted by volunteers Kate Grzybowski and Nancy Woloshyn as well as Hastings Lake employee Andrew Wells.

The current team has 62 swimmers and is currently looking for new coaches for the upcoming summer season.

Nonetheless, success has become commonplace for the young swimmers as they just claimed first place in a Tri-Meet, held at Hastings Lake YMCA in Lake Villa.

The Parent Board consists of Cheryl Vacval, president; Andrea Mohrmann, secretary; and Marge Mattingly, treasurer.

Last year, Joseph Burg captured the state title in the 8-year-and-under 25 freestyle.

This year, Hastings Lake is sending 23 swimmers to the District competition, where they have to qualify to move on. Anyone interested in joining the Hastings Lake YMCA can contact Jerome Flasch at (847) 356-4006.

Results from the February 6 tri-meet include:

200 Free

Women 11-12
Emily Meyer-2:43.90

Women 13-14

M. Mattingly-2:33.73

100 R-Medley

Women 8 & Under

Hastings Lake Camp A: 1:32.16
Hastings Lake Camp B: 1:48.14

Men

Hastings Lake Camp A 1:39.56

200 R-Medley

Women 9-10

Hastings Lake Camp A-2:50.52;
Hastings Lake Camp B: 3:24.70

Men

Hastings Lake Camp A: 2:26.48;

Hastings Lake Camp B-DQ

Women 11-12

Hastings Lake Camp A: 2:21.32;
Hastings Lake Camp B: 2:59.04

Men 11-12

Hastings Lake Camp A: 2:42.38

Women 13-14

Hastings Lake Camp 2:16.23; Hastings Lake Camp B: 2:56.23

100 IM

Women 9-10

C. VanVickle-1:32.73

Men 9-10

K. Mohrmann-1:19.76; Alex Mason-1:41.19

200 IM

Women 11-12

L. Foerster-2:48.84

25 Free

Women 7-8

B. Nacsa-19.34; S. Kramer-20.06; L. Schmidt-25.27; D. Palcek-1:16.24

Women 6 & Under

M. Garland-19.60; D. Bessette-20.47; B. Hahn-22.89; Rachel Burg 24.82

Men 7-8

D. Palcek-19.96; D. Mohrmann-22.21

Men 6 & Under

Tyler Craig-21.86; S. Woloshyn-26.52

50 Free

Women 9-10

D. Lindquist-36.38; N. Woloshyn 39.35; Y. Bessette-39.72; House-Palmer-42.09; M. Genengels-44.82; L. Granneman-45.21; Alyson Craig 49.44

Men 9-10

Joseph Burg-31.02; B. O'Morchoe-32.11; D. Stewart-35.64; J. Schulze-37.21; W. Mattingly-48.22

Women 11-12

L. Vacval-30.38; L. Erickson-31.96; J. Christman-32.10

Men 11-12

Z. Johnson-31.51; C. Deleanides-39.55; Z. Sparling-40.63; L. Fortney-30.49

25 Fly

Women 8 & Under

B. Nacsa-26.71

Women 11-12

B. Brooker-40.59

Men 11-12

N. Johnson-36.85

100 Fly

Women 13-14

S. Mohrmann-1:14.32; T. Schulze-1:17.81

50 Free

Women 8 & Under

A. Mattingly-34.61; K. Garland-39.07; M. Garland-52.95; Rachel Burg-57.33

Men 8 & Under

A. Grzybowski-39.07; D. Palcek-49.43; Tyler Craig-50.47

100 Free

Women 9-10

C. Vanvickle-1:25.35; D. Lindquist-1:26.11; M. Genengels-1:32.04

Men 9-10

David Cramer-1:13.28; D. Stewart-1:20.74

Women 11-12

L. Foerster-1:10.39; J. Christman-1:11.73; L. Erickson-1:13.80

Men 11-12

N. Johnson-1:12.31

Women 13-14

L. Turner-1:37.13

Men 13-14

John Ferris-1:01.93; Drew Palcek-1:24.84

Women 15-18

L. Fortney-1:11.31

500 Free

Women 13-14

M. Mattingly-6:56.98

25 Back

Women 7-8

K. Garland-22.54; B. Nacsa-23.83; S. Zalewski-28.67; L. Schmidt-29.24

Women 6 & Under

D. Bessette-24.53; M. Garland-24.90; B. Hahn-26.31; Rachel Burg-37.11

Men 6 & Under

Tyler Craig-24.86; S. Woloshyn-34.47

50 Back

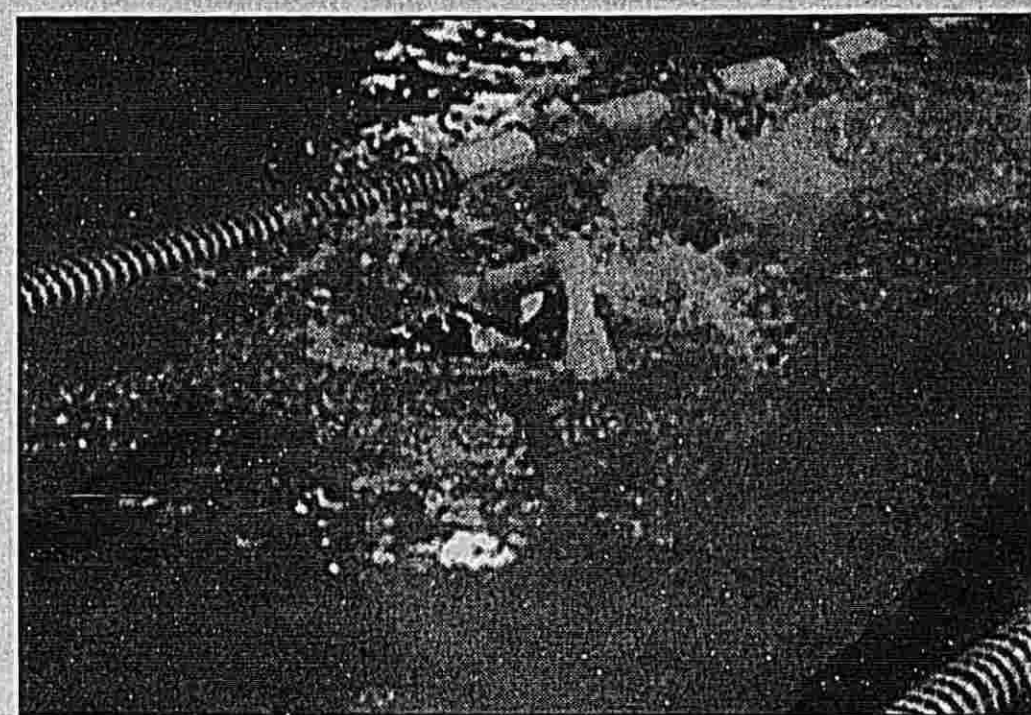
Women 9-10

S. Burg-42.32; M. Genengels-50.61; M. Genengels-51.88; Alyson Craig-52.72; L. Granneman-1:02.24; House-Palmer-1:03.39

Men 9-10

B. O'Morchoe-36.74; Joseph Burg-37.14

Women 11-12



Camp Hasting's YMCA Stingray swimmer Molly Mattingly, age 13, competes in the 500-yard freestyle during a Tri-Meet February 6.—Photo by Steve Young.

J. Christman-38.19

Men 11-12

Z. Johnson-36.83; N. Johnson-37.27; Z. Sparling-49.17; C. Deleanides-54.79

100 Back

Women 13-14

S. Mohrmann-1:13.41; T. Schulze-1:19.89; Katie Meyer-1:19.98; Lane DeYoung-1:32.68; L. Turner-DQ

Men 13-14

Drew Palcek-1:38.97

Women 15-18

L. Fortney-1:23.97

25 Breast

Women 8 & Under

A. Mattingly-20.97; S. Zalewski-30.84

Men 8 & Under

D. Mohrmann-30.44; S. Woloshyn-36.25

50 Breast

Women 9-10

S. Burg-44.95; Y. Bessette-47.23; N. Woloshyn-53.03; M. Genengels-1:02.11

Men 9-10

Joseph Burg-43.04; J. Schulze-50.78; W. Mattingly-DQ

Women 11-12

L. Vacval-38.04; Emily Meyer-40.74;

B. Brooker-41.26

100 Breast

Women 13-14

K. O'Morchoe-1:28.26; Erica Mason-1:43.31

Men 13-14

John Ferris-1:16.95

Men 15-18

D. Cushman-1:14.66

100 R-Free

Women 8 & Under

Hastings Lake Camp A: 1:18.43; Hastings Lake Camp B: 1:35.37

Men 8 & Under

Hastings Lake Camp A-1:35.88

200 R-Free

Women 9-10

Hastings Lake Camp A: 2:34.64; Hastings Lake Camp B-2:58.95; Hastings Lake Camp C-DQ

200 R-Free

Men 9-10

Hastings Lake Camp A: 2:06.60

Women 11-12

Hastings Lake Camp-2:10.10

Men 11-12

Hastings Lake Camp-2:26.97

Women 13-14

Hastings Lake Camp A: 2:02.36; Hastings Lake Camp C: 2:27.90

CLASS AA BOYS BASKETBALL PAIRINGS

WAUKEGAN SECTIONAL

Mon., Feb. 28

Game 1 — (17) **Wauconda** at (16) Highland Park

Tue., Feb. 29

Game 2 — Winner Game 1 at (1) **Warren**

Game 3 — (9) Waukegan at (8) **Grant**

Game 4 — (13) North Chicago at (4) Lake Zurich

Game 5 — (12) **Carmel** at (5) **Grayslake**

Wed., Mar. 1

Game 6 — (15) **Round Lake** at (2) Zion-Benton

Game 7 — (10) **Mundelein** at (7) Stevenson

Game 8 — (14) **Libertyville** at (3) Deerfield

Game 9 — (11) **Antioch** at (6) Lake Forest (H.S.)

Fri., Mar. 3

Game 10 — Winner Game 2 vs. Winner Game 3

Game 11 — Winner Game 4 vs. Winner Game 5

Game 12 — Winner Game 6 vs. Winner Game 7

Game 13 — Winner Game 8 vs. Winner Game 9

Tue., Mar. 7

Game 14 — Winner Game 10 vs. Winner Game 11

Wed., Mar. 8

Game 15 — Winner Game 12 vs. Winner Game 13

Fri., Mar. 10

Game 16 — Winner Game 14 vs. Winner Game 15

SPORTS DIGEST

The Lindenhurst Fastpitch Softball team is still looking for 14-and-under players for the upcoming season. Note: Players are still eligible if their 15th birthday falls after January 1.

Contact directors Steve Haenchen (265-0749) or Mitch Kotlarz (356-9547) or manager Jim Kulakowski (265-0222) for further details.

Team practices are presently held every Saturday from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. at B.J. Hooper School off Sand Lake Rd. in Lindenhurst.

For anyone still interested, hitting and pitching camps are available at **The Pro Cut Training Center** in Lake Villa.

ter in Lake Villa.

This camp will cover; strength and speed training for hitters, fundamental training, arm and bat speed evaluation, much more by certified instructors.

The maximum number of students per session is limited from six to eight players and is available for all ages. Spots are going fast, so hurry up and register by calling (630) 833-4018. The cost of the camp includes two packages; hitting or pitching only-\$50 (includes four one-hour workouts); and, hitting and pitching-\$90 (includes four two-hour workouts).

Camps will continue to run each Sunday in February. You can register at anytime during the duration of the camp.

The Harmony Snowmobile Club and Wilmot Mountain would like to extend an invitation for you to cover the most unique winter sport activity to hit our area. On Saturday, March 18th and Sunday, March 19th, Harmony and Wilmot will be hosting the second annual "Grip-It and Rip-It SnowClimb," uphill four-lane snowmobile drag race. This activity is unique to the Midwest. As a result of last year's popularity, the event has been extended to two days.

This year in conjunction to the event, Harmony will be hosting a food drive to support the local McHenry FISH Food Pantry. All racers and spectators are asked to donate a non-perishable food item to FISH.

Now is an opportunity to get in an support this event and help feed the needy. This is an opportunity to participate and show community support. Where else has an event of this magnitude been done in this area and you have the opportunity to support and mingle with others.

Gates will open at 8 a.m. on

both days. Think of it, mountain drag racing. All this hosted by the local hometown club, The Harmony Snowmobile Club, in Johnsburg. Support the club, the FISH Food Pantry and the sport this area is noted for.

And, **Rebound Sports presents** 'basketball Sunday' from February 20-March 26 where shooting lessons will be the feature attraction. The camp will be held from 6-7 p.m. and 7-8 p.m. at the West Oak Middle School in Mundelein. The cost of the event is \$160.

Lake County Bowling Association

(Results after first week of 71st Annual LCBA Tournament) (At Bertrand Lanes, Waukegan) Team results

1. Sunset Bowl-3,325
 2. Car Quest-3,319
 3. T.G.I.F. Lakehurst-3,302
 4. Surf Side Tanning-3,255
 5. Linden Barber Shop 2-3,243
- Note: Low score still in the money-3,090**
Individual high series
Dale Paavilainei, Jr.-717
Pat Cornell-721
John Miller-709
(The event will conclude this Saturday and Sunday at Bertrand Lanes beginning at 1:30 and 4:30 p.m.)

College Digest

CLC men's soccer awards

Warren High School

Ed Montano-Goalie

Honors

1st team Skyway Conference
1st team NJCAA Region IV

Antioch High School
Chris Porter-Striker

Honors

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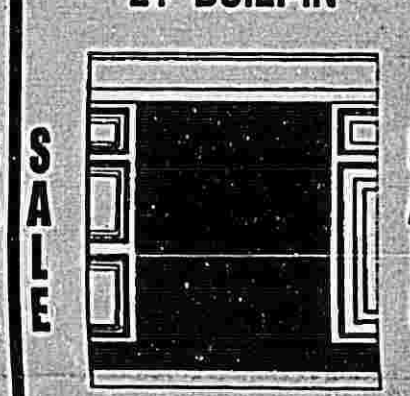


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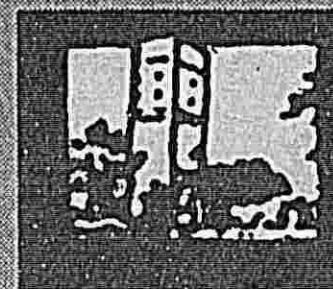
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Last days of PINBALL?

Does the silver ball stand a chance against
today's high-tech video games?

Two screenless machines stand out from the rest of the attractions in a blind corner of the video arcade in the Rinkside Sports in Gurnee. The bulky devices explode with color, sound and light, but for the most part, they are ignored by the younger gamers at the arcade.

By TIM O'DONNELL, Staff Reporter

On their "play-fields," metallic tracks twist and turn around the course leading to the all-important flippers that guard the gaping space at the bottom. Imbedded throughout the field are small flashing lights with phrases like "x2," "Multi-ball" and "Bonus" printed on them.

To the outsider, they are all pretty much the same. But each one offers a different challenge, a nuance in game play that makes each machine unique. Two games on the same machine will never be the same, because there is no computer chip that generates the outcome. The only things that dictate the conclusion is the player's knowledge of angles and gravity.

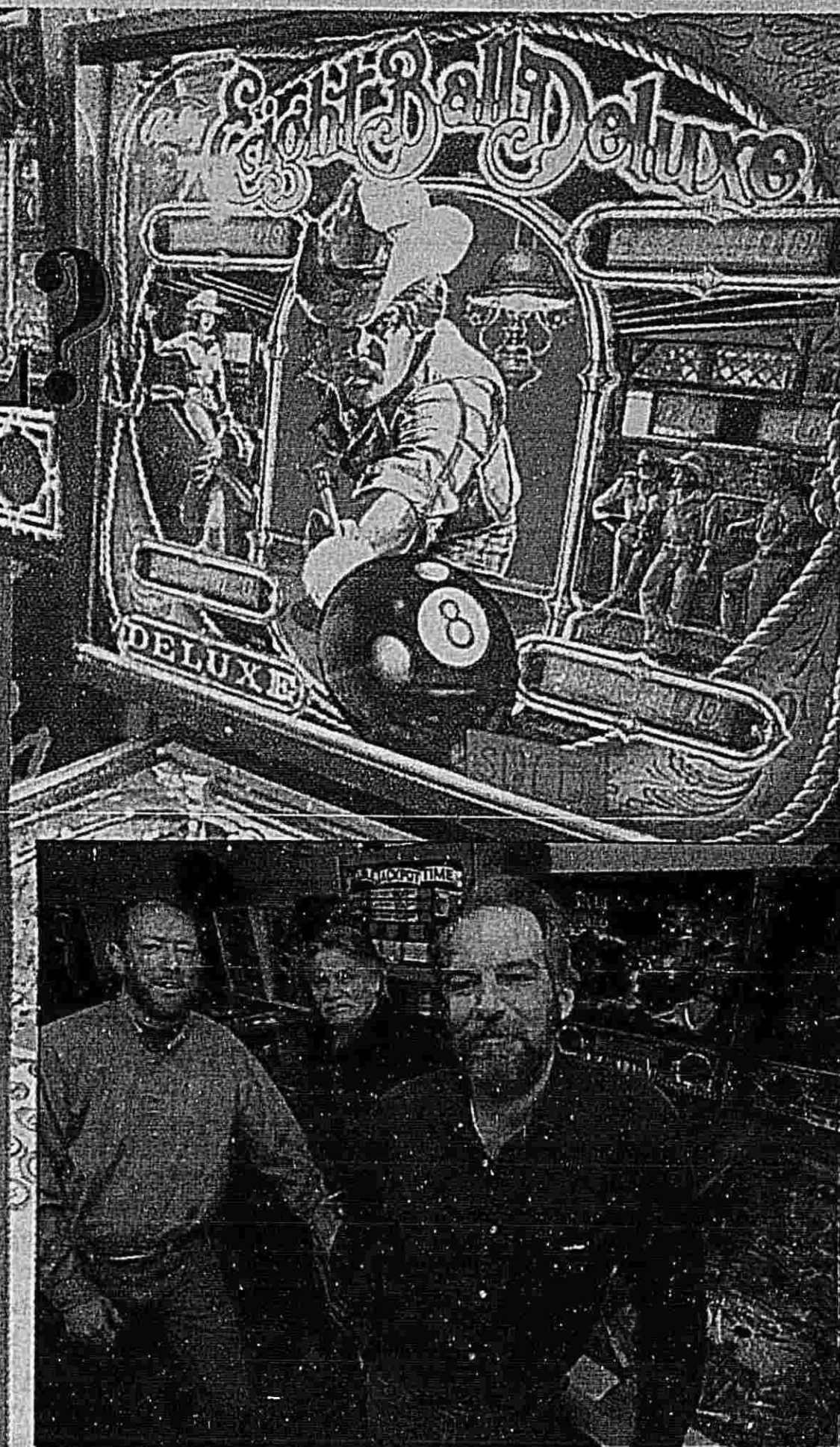
These machines, of course, are pinball games. They can be found in pretty much any tavern, bar, arcade or bowling alley

anywhere. And yet the interest in them seems to be dying.

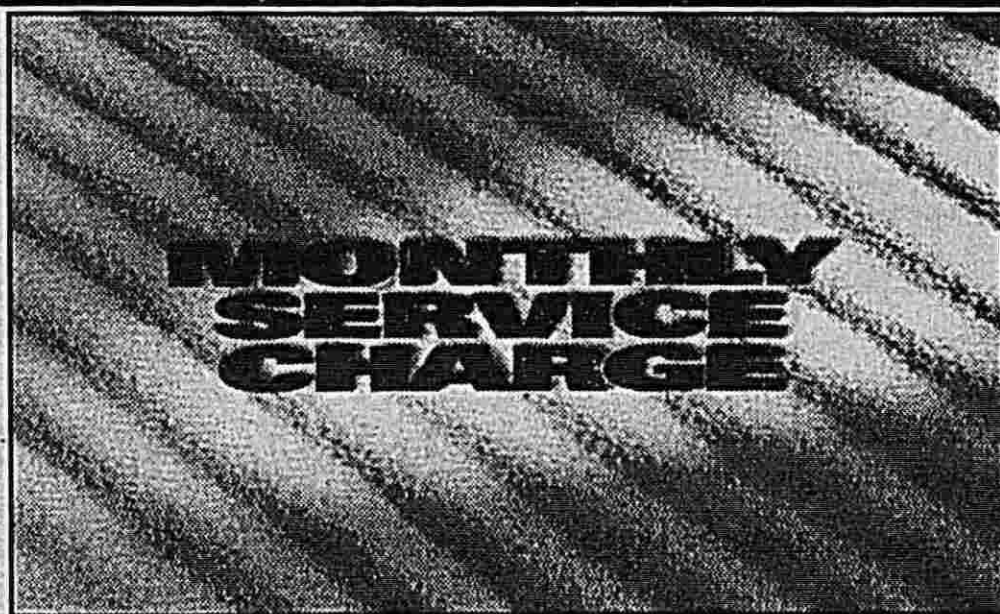
The evidence of this trend was seen in late November of last year, when Williams—and its subsidiary company Bally—announced that they were no longer going to manufacture pinball machines. The two Chicago-based giants in the industry stopped making games because the market with distributors and arcades was no longer viable.

"Williams Pinball closed its doors last year citing operating losses," said Pat Hamelet, owner of Chicago Pinball Home Sales and Service in Libertyville. "The price of new pinballs was skyrocketing, while the collections in the cash boxes were dropping. The street operator

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Jeff Camphouse, Pat Hamelet and Mike Hamelet, owners of the Chicago Pinball store in Libertyville, show off some of the games they have for sale.—Photo by Sandy Bressner



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Pet ownership: The paws that refreshes

This won't come as a surprise to those who know me, but I am a pet lover. While we pet lovers may differ in size, shape and degree of mental stability, what we have in common is our affection for assorted non-human companions.

I am what you might call your "average" pet lover, meaning that I give my pets affection and share my home with them. I do not buy them clothes, rent them videos, or seriously expect them to answer when I speak to them.

Still, I occasionally find myself having to explain to a non-pet lover why I have pets, and it's hard to put into words. Which is why I was happy to see some news recently about scientific studies that demonstrated actual health benefits from pet ownership. They say, for example, that pets can lower your blood pressure. I believe this wholeheartedly. In fact, here are a couple of other health benefits I have learned from my own experience with pets:

1. A dog increases the amount you exercise, as follows: Get up and



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let him out. Get up and let him in. Get up and let him out. Get up and let him in. Etc., etc.

2. A cat can decrease your appetite. I can't tell you how many times I have just sat down to dinner when the cat hacked up a hairball. Suddenly, I'm no longer hungry.

And let's not forget that throughout history, there have been documented cases where a pet has actually saved its owner's life. Admittedly, that might be more likely to happen if you have a Saint Bernard, since I haven't heard of any instances where, say, a hamster pulls someone from a burning building.

Despite all these advantages, none of them actually explains why I have pets. I just like them.

Always have.

Frankly, it's a mystery to me why some folks are pet lovers and some are not. You might think that parenting has something to do with it, but I'm not so sure. Despite my love for pets, only our youngest son is a true pet lover, meaning that he shows a constant and gentle interest in our two dogs and cat. My daughter SAYS she loves the pets; however, we have advised all the animals to leave the room immediately if they find themselves alone with her.

My other two sons, especially the oldest, preferred to remain vague on the subject while growing up, no doubt hoping to avoid all pet-related chores by loudly insisting, "They're YOUR pets. WE didn't ask for them." Which is why I am now enjoying the irony of listening to my oldest son's recent tales about his difficulties as a new dog owner. I don't know why he suddenly changed his mind; all I know is that I take no responsibility for the fact that he has named the dog "Schwarz."

Unfortunately, like anything else, there are people who take their affec-

tion for pets to an extreme. I was buying some cards at Wal-Mart the other day and the woman behind me asked me if I was sending them out on behalf of my dog. I moved a few feet farther away from her, and said, "Noooo... why do you ask?"

She explained that her mother-in-law actually sends cards to relatives from her dog... not from both she and the dog, mind you, but JUST from the dog.

Now, what I want to know is, exactly how did she know the dog wanted to send a card? And how does someone react when they receive a card from her dog? Do they smile and say, "Oh, look, honey! How sweet—Sparky remembered my birthday!"

Of course they don't. They make a mental note that the card sender's owner is not only sentimental, she's semi-mental. Also, I resent the fact that people like this woman give the rest of us "normal" pet owners a bad name. As much as we love our pets, we (and I speak only for the sane) do NOT believe that our pet friends are humans trapped in a furry little

body. We do recognize the inherent differences between the species. For example, most people do not enjoy the following strange animal activities:

1. Butt sniffing
 2. Mouse eating
 3. Toilet drinking
- Notice I said "most." And on the flip side, most pets do not enjoy the following strange people activities:
1. Talking on cell phones while driving in heavy traffic at 65 mph
 2. Bribing members of Congress
 3. Wearing cheese on their heads at certain football games

Anyway, any of you readers out there who are non-pet lovers can rest assured that the majority of pet-lovers are well aware that pets are not people.

Come to think of it, maybe THAT'S why we like them!

Questions or comments for Donna Abear can be sent to: P.O. Box 391, Antioch, IL 60002, or by e-mail: donna@lifesabear.com. Also, be sure to check out her new web site at <http://www.lifesabear.com>.

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PINBALL

couldn't afford to buy a new machine and then wait years to break even."

At Rinkside Sports, this trend is evident. Pinball machines make up about 1 percent of the games offered in the arcade, and revenue numbers cannot match those of the high-tech games.

Jean Lundgren, marketing manager for Rinkside, said that while the older patrons of the arcade are still in-

terested in pinball, the younger generation is not drawn to the silver ball.

"The kids are so used to the high-tech games," she said. "But the pinball machines are actually still popular. We've got a lot of state-of-the-art games here, but pinball and air hockey are still draws."

George Madrid, games tech manager at Rinkside, said the two pinball machines that they own, "Revenge from Mars" and "South Park," each draw about \$100 per

week. Out of the 168 games at Rinkside, the top money maker brings in about \$1,100 per week—mainly because of higher prices and higher interest. Madrid said that most of the interactive games bring in over \$1,000 per week.

"The kids like video, and they like anything they can interact with," said Madrid. "I haven't ever seen a teenager play the pinball machines. Most of the people who use them are all 25 and over."

These "state-of-the-art" games have reached the point where they can almost mirror reality in simulations like virtual skydiving and a

wide array of driving and sports games. With all of these games on the market, the younger generations do not seem to be interested in spending their money on a game that does not have high-resolution graphics and does not allow them to do something out of the ordinary.

"We are at a low because there is no younger generation growing up on pinball," explained Hamelet. "Computer games and virtual reality have out-shadowed the silver ball, for the moment."

Charles Piszczek, a 22-year-old arcade patron, opts for the pinball machines over the rest of the games that Rinkside has to offer.

"Most people have access to video games in their homes. Then they go to an arcade and play the same types of games," he said. "For me, I can't play pinball at home. So when I go out, that's what I do. I figure, you might as well do something different."

The notion of having a pinball machine in the home is still foreign to Piszczek and many other people. But with machines ranging anywhere from \$500 to \$5,000, the idea of having a pinball machine in the home is becoming more popular.

Hamelet said that though there has been a decline in interest in the public sector, the demand for pinball machines in the home has been steadily growing. His business, Chicago Pinball, caters to those who want a pinball machine in their homes. Though they do sell new machines, they specialize in reconditioned machines that are sold at lower prices.

After Williams and Bally went

out of business in 1999, the only major pinball manufacturer left is Stern, based in Chicago. The absence of these companies has left a hole in the market, making machines rarer and more expensive.

"The price of games is going up, just because they're becoming harder and harder to find. The good games are already in basements. And there are a whole lot more games in basements now than there ever was," he said. "At one point, it wasn't something that you had in your house. Now it's too cool to have pinball in your house."

There are many factors that make pinball attractive to its players, the most predominant being the organic nature of the game.

"The silver ball never does the same thing twice. There has never been two games played exactly the same," commented Hamelet. "With most video games, you try to imitate your last game and correct the mistakes that made you lose."

Piszczek's friend, Mike Swartz, agreed.

"Pinball's cool because its physical," said Swartz. "It's not a computer generated image on a screen."

Hamelet said that pinball sees a resurgence in popularity about every 10 years. According to Piszczek, this trend is coming to fruition in the public sector.

Hamelet is confident that pinball will continue to be one of America's great pastimes.

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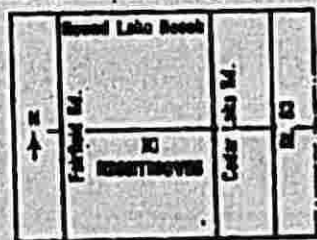
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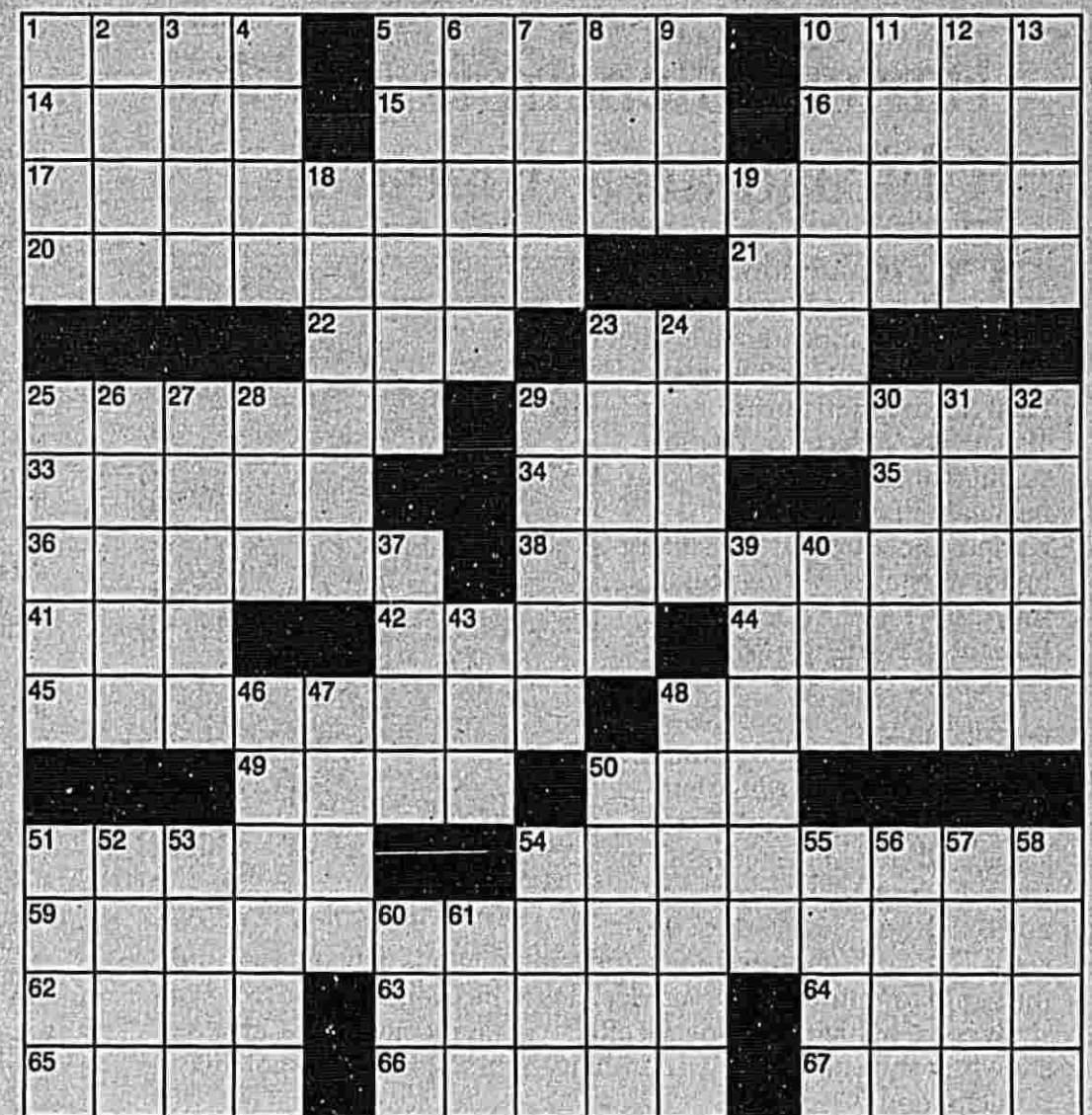
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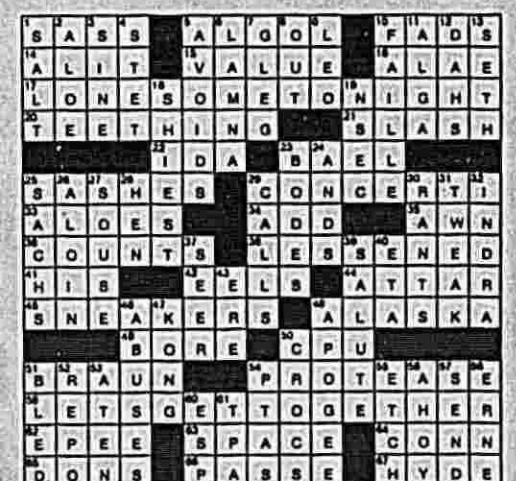
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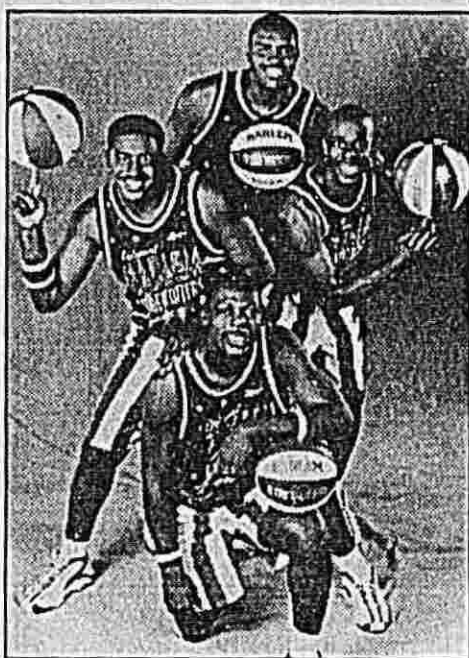
Harlem Globetrotters only Chicago-area Appearance

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Bowen Park Theatre is currently seeking original scripts for its theatre for Young Audiences series.

Scripts should be non-musical, original scripts targeted for young audiences (K-4) using an adult cast no larger than 6. Running time of script should at 50-words-per-minute.

Send all material to Bowen Park Theatre, Jack Benny Center for the Arts, TYA Script Search, 39 Jack Benny Dr., Waukegan 60087. Please include a self-addressed stamped envelope if you would like the material back.

For more information, please contact Rick Covalinski, Performance Supervisor at 360-4741.

The Directors Showcase

Village Theatre of Palatine is pleased to announce the 2000-2001 season will feature "The Directors Showcase". Directors are asked to submit a resume, concept and script for a play they would like to direct. Concepts must be received by Village Theatre by April 1st for consideration. These will be reviewed by the Village Theatre Board of Directors. The season and directors will be chosen from the concepts submitted. Please mail submissions to: Sally

Moomey, C/O Village Theatre, P.O. Box 2025, Palatine, 60078. Questions regarding the Director Showcase can be answered by calling Pat Flynn at 381-8443.

WORKSHOP

Smocking Class at GCC

Monica Larson will teach a class in the art of smocking at Gorton Community Center, 400 East Illinois Road, Lake Forest.

"Introduction to Smocking" will be held on Tuesday, February 29 from 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. The fee is \$30. Students will learn to "make waves" — as well as cables and trellises, and embellishments such as rosettes and bullions. Pleated fabric, floss, and a needle will be provided; bring embroidery scissors.

Interested participants should register and pay in advance. For further information, or to receive a program brochure, contact or stop by the Gorton office at 234-6060 between 9 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., weekdays.

Seminar on Investing

Roch Tranel, CFP, of the Tranel Financial Group through Money Concepts Financial Planning Centre in Libertyville is presenting a seminar on "Investing For All Economic Climates." This seminar will be held at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 29, at Bellini's Italian Restaurant in Libertyville.

At this educational seminar, attendees will gain valuable information on allocating assets to promote growth and limit market risk.

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And what could be more fun than making a kite in March? Sign up for Kite Kreations, Sat., March 18. Remember, parent and child come for the price of one.

The Suburban Fine Arts Center is a not for profit art school and gallery located in downtown Highland Park. Gallery hours are 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday through Saturday. For more information call 432-1888.

T'ai Chi Chih classes offered

This class will introduce the student to this easy to learn discipline. T'ai Chi Chih consists of 19 flowing movements and one pose, which will enhance the flow of energy in the body. Sally McLaughlin, an accredited T'ai Chi Chih instructor, will teach this soft, continuous movement that requires little effort on Wednesdays until March 22 from 1:30-2:45 p.m. in the Jack Benny Center for the Arts Dance Studio located in Bowen Park. This is not a form of martial arts, but a moving meditative form. No

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physical contact is made in the practice of Tai Chi Chih. The fee for residents is \$62 and \$67 for non-residents. Registration is accepted at Jack Benny Center for the Arts located in Bowen Park, 39 Jack Benny Dr., Waukegan or by calling 360-4740.

MUSIC

'Creative Memories' workshop at Gorton

Lake Bluff resident and Creative Memories Consultant Valerie Linehan will conduct a workshop on creative photo albums and photograph organization at Gorton Community Center, 400 East Illinois Road, Lake Forest. The classes will take place on Thursday, Feb. 21 from 7-9:30 p.m. The fee for the class is \$20.

Interested participants should register and pay in advance. For further information, or to receive a program brochure, contact or stop by the Gorton office at 234-6060 between 9 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., weekdays.

Benefit for MargaretAnn's Place

April 16 spend the day with the Chenille Sisters. Back by popular demand, the Chenille's will be performing a two-concert series to benefit MargaretAnn's Place, a center for grieving children, teens and families.

Tickets for the 1 p.m. children's concert are \$10. The adult concert is scheduled for 7 p.m. Tickets for this

concert are \$15. All tickets are for general seating. The concerts will be performed at Tremper High School, Kenosha, WI.

For further information please call 262-656-9656.

THEATRE

Day at The Hemmens

The renowned entertainer/singer, Jack Jones, brings his warm, intimate style and superb voice to The Hemmens Cultural Center on Feb. 19 at 8 p.m. when he will celebrate Valentine's Day by presenting his hit ballads as well as other traditional pop standards.

In 1999, Jack received his sixth Grammy nomination (he's won two) for Best Traditional Pop Vocal Performance for his latest album, "Jack Jones Paints a Tribute to Tony Bennett." The album features some of Bennett's signature songs such as, "Skylark," "Shadow of Your Smile," "Fly Me To The Moon" and, of course, "I Left My Heart In San Francisco." Tickets for Jack Jones' concert are \$38 (Main Floor) and \$36 (Balcony). Tickets can be purchased by calling The Hemmens' 24-Hour Charge-It Line 931-5900 or purchased at The Hemmens' Box Office in Elgin's Civic Center Plaza, 150 Dexter Court, Elgin.

The Good Doctor at Village Theatre

Village Theatre of Palatine Inc. is pleased to announce the second production of its 50th season, "The Good Doctor" directed by Larry Boller and produced by Jim and Kate Williams.

All performances are at Cutting Hall, 150 E. Wood St., Palatine. Performance dates are February 25-26 March 3-5, 10-12. Friday and Saturday performances are at 8 p.m. Sunday performances are matinees at 2:30 p.m. Reserved seating is available by calling the Village Theatre box office at 358-2506. Tickets are \$12.

"The Good Doctor" was written by Neil Simon and is composed of several one acts all tied together by the narration of the "writer."

REUNION

Class Reunion for Foreman High School

Foreman High School will be having a fiftieth class reunion on September 10th. A search for uninformed classmates continues and any information of the whereabouts of the graduates could be updated for a mailing list.

Any information can be forward to Mrs. George Cleary (Joan Fritz) 21-37 Marina court, Lake Carroll, 61046-2982, phone 566-5954, or web address <http://members.xoom.com/XOOM/Foremanhigh/index.html>.

FASHION SHOW

Sadie Hawkins Day Fashion Show

Lake County Assoc. for Home and Community Education is sponsoring a Sadie Hawkins Day Fashion Show and Luncheon on Tues. Feb. 29. Social will begin at 11:30 a.m. with the fashion show at noon. This event will be held at Maravels on Rte. 59 and Washington St. in Ingleside. \$13 per person, public invited. Dogpatch attire is optional. If you need reservations call Carole at 587-7548.

FASHION SHOW

Mardi Gras comes to Grayslake

The Lake County Center for Independent Living will be hosting its annual benefit dinner dance at 6:30 p.m. on February 18 at the Country Squire in Grayslake. The benefit will have a Mardi Gras theme and first prize in the raffle drawing will be airfare and hotel accommodations for two to New Orleans. For further information or to purchase a ticket for the benefit, please call Lori Clark at The Lake County Center for Independent Living at 949-4440.

Lord of the Dance at Rosemont

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The show's soundtrack, composed by Ronan Hardiman, reached No. 1 on Billboard's World Music chart. Even though the word "phenomenon" is thrown around all too easily these days, Lord of the Dance is just that: a phenomenon.

Irish dance absolutely ignites during the show, with rock-concert lighting, skin-tight leather costumes, Celtic symbolism, and New Age mysticism. Now, the free-form style Irish dance spectacle continues on a U.S. tour for its third consecutive year. Hailed as a pop extravaganza, each and every show is over 108 minutes of potent physical eloquence and captivating energy that integrates gypsy, disco, ballet and tap dance styles. The cast of 40 brilliantly gifted dancers leaps, twirls and taps at utterly amazing speeds.

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'Voices 2000' presentation at PM&L Theatre Feb. 27

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VOICES 2000 will be performed by 4 talented teens since the subject

matter is teen issues as they are entering the 21st Century. It will be of special interest to teens, parents and grandparents.

The language is spirited and sometimes strong as the teens perform a series of skits dealing with various subjects of drug abuse, teen pregnancy, and other contemporary teen problems. The actors are Jessica Smouse, Bridget Heffernan, Joie Guffrey, and Mike Anderson from Antioch.

Another point of interest for the performance is that there will be two American sign language students from Harper College who will interpret the performance for anyone in the audience who is hearing impaired.

There will be refreshments served after the approximately one hour show at which time the audience can visit with the cast. For any further information call 587-7204.



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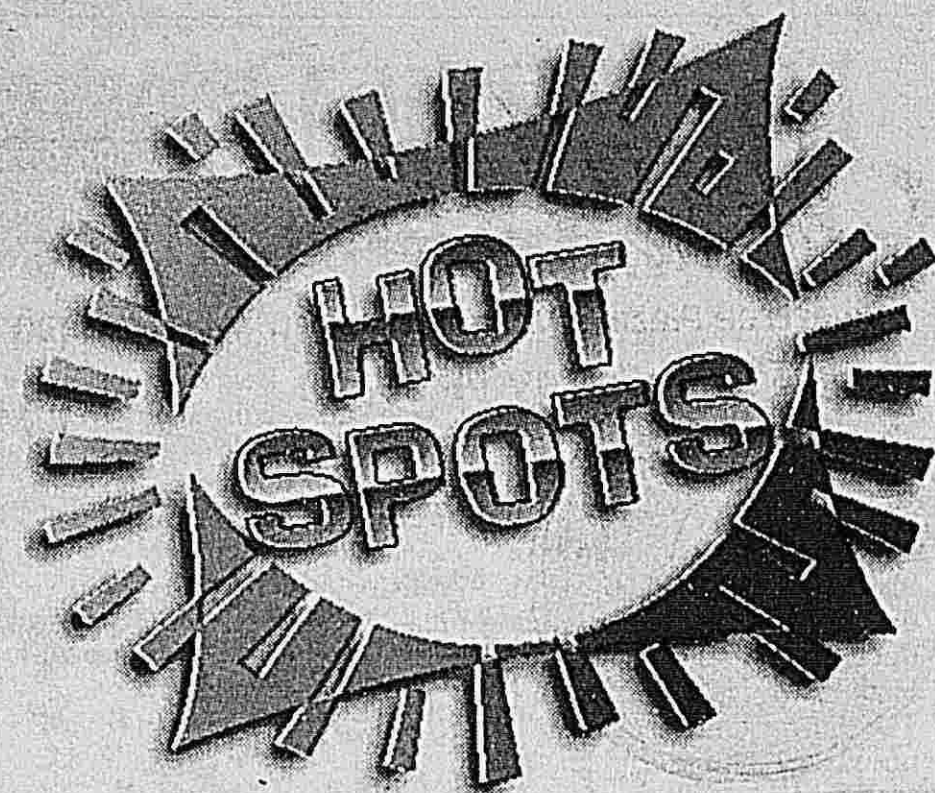
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'The Beach' is a washout

On weekends, before the movie starts at Gurnee's Marcus Cinema, the manager will come out to let all the rowdies know who's in charge, and offer up freebies in return for correct answers to trivia questions.

For *The Beach*, questions included what Leonardo DiCaprio's first film was, and which film did he appear with Drew Barrymore. The answers, those masterpieces, *Critters 3* and *Poison Ivy*, did not come easy.

When the audience was chastised for not being up on their Leo trivia, someone shouted in defense, "I'm not 15 or female!"

But he was there just the same, as we all were, eager to see if *The Beach* would live up to its hype.

First off, anyone expecting a cross between *Titanic* and *The Blue Lagoon* will be disappointed.

Although set in a tropical paradise, there is more to the story than half-clothed lovers sharing a coconut while watching the sunset.

DiCaprio plays Richard, an adventure seeker, do not call him a

movie review



Angela Sykora



tourist, who travels to exotic Thailand for a dangerously good time and perhaps a lesson in self-discovery.

At his hotel, Richard meets Daffy (Robert Carlyle), an intensely strange man who tells him a story about a legendary secret island, a mythical sanctuary hidden from the sea, and the outside world.

Richard dismisses Daffy as a full-on space cadet until he finds a map leading to the fabled beach.

He entices a desirable French girl, Francoise (Virginie Ledoyen), and her boyfriend, Etienne (Guillaume Canet), to take the trip with him.

Quite amazingly, because it is obvious Richard has the hots for Francoise, they all get along famously. And teamwork? A boss' dream come true.

Before the three begin their journey, Richard takes the precaution of leaving behind a copy of the map for some stoner kids he met the night before, who fantasized about one day finding the mystical beach, rumored to be a dopehead's heaven, themselves.

Richard's decision later proves to be a life-threatening mistake, as he discovers the price of protecting paradise and why the grass is not always greener on the other side.

For being DiCaprio's first major film role since *Titanic*, *The Beach* should've been worth the wait, but with such high expectations, the letdown was almost inevitable.

The Beach

Rating
R

Director
Danny Boyle

Starring
Leonardo DiCaprio

Virginie Ledoyen

Guillaume Canet

Robert Carlyle

Tilda Swinton

While *The Beach* does get credit for not being a predictable love story due to its dark undertones of power and a bizarre Vietnam-like descent into madness, the characters are extremely underdeveloped, preventing the audience from finding anyone to identify with and care about.

We don't have the privilege of knowing much, if anything, about Richard's past and why he is so desperate to escape, nor do we know the French couple's story, although their interest factor is limited to begin with.

Unlike *Titanic*, love and romance have little to do with this story,



Francoise (Virginie Ledoyen), Richard (Leonardo DiCaprio) and Etienne (Guillaume Canet) ponder the distance they must swim in 20th Century Fox's *The Beach*.

and adolescent Leo lovers may find Richard a bit raw and rugged for their taste.

For much of the movie, he is so grimy from running around in the jungle like an animal, he rivals his Arnie character from *What's Eating Gilbert Grape*.

Trailers for *The Beach*, which seemed to have run a year before the movie's actual opening, com-

bined scenes in such a way to make potential audiences think the movie is something it's not — interesting.

With superficial characters that aren't challenged enough, the only thing "deep" about *The Beach* is the water, initially cool and inviting, but ultimately a washout.

I give *The Beach* two and one-half popcorn boxes out of five.

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Aries — March 21/April 20
You get beat around the bush when talking with a good friend about a personal problem. Open up to this person; you know that he or she will support you. Listen to the advice that you're given, because it really does make sense. A loved one asks to borrow money. Do what you can to help.

Taurus — April 21/May 21
Don't back down when it comes to something that you really want during the middle of the week, Taurus. If you work diligently, your persistence will pay off. A close friend reveals a secret to you. Keep it to yourself, because it's not your place to tell anyone. Cancer plays an important role late in the week.

Gemini — May 22/June 21
You get caught in a sticky situation early in the week, Gemini. To get out of it, you're going to have to think fast on your feet. So, don't panic. If you stay calm, you surely can handle this. A close friend introduces you to an interesting person late in the week. Get to know him or her better, because this could be the one.

Cancer — June 22/July 22
Don't beat yourself up about a mistake that you make on Tuesday, Cancer. It's nothing serious, and it doesn't even cause a lot of problems for those in-

voled. So, just apologize for the error, and move on. A loved one turns to you for romantic advice. Be honest with him or her.

Leo — July 23/August 23
Keep your eyes and ears open when talking with co-workers this week, Leo. Something is going on, but no one is saying what it is. Try to find out on your own. It will be worth the effort. A close friend wants to take you out late in the week. Say yes, because you're sure to have a good time. Scorpio plays a key role.

Virgo — Aug 24/Sept 22
Try not to be late for an appointment this week, Virgo. If you are, you could miss out on a potentially lucrative opportunity. An interesting person asks you out. While you're a little nervous, say yes, because he or she could be the one for you. Get to know him or her better.

Libra — Sept 23/Oct 23
Listen to a close friend when he or she offers you constructive criticism this week, Libra. This person isn't trying to be mean; he or she really wants to help you. It will be worth your while to take his or her advice. Cancer plays an important role.

Scorpio — Oct 24/Nov 22
Don't pretend to be someone you're not when you meet an interesting person this

week, Scorpio. He or she is intelligent and will be able to see right through you. So, just be yourself. An acquaintance asks to borrow money. Even though you would like to help, don't. You know that this person isn't reliable.

Sagittarius — Nov 23/Dec 21
Look on the bright side of things when you have a run of bad luck early in the week, Sagittarius. Things really aren't as bad as they seem. Besides, everything will get better by the end of the week. Aquarius plays an important role on Thursday.

Capricorn — Dec 22/Jan 20
Your ambition could cause you problems this week, Capricorn. If you're not careful. While you want to get ahead, don't step on those around you to get there. It only will make you look bad to some very important people. A close friend needs a shoulder to cry on. Be there for him or her.

Aquarius — Jan 21/Feb 18
Don't get upset with a loved one when he or she doesn't take your advice. While this person truly is interested in your opinion, he or she has to make his or her own decisions. Try to realize this. That special someone has a surprise for you late in the week. Enjoy!

Pisces — Feb 19/March 20
A close friend needs your help with a family problem. While this person has brought this all on himself or herself, you still should try to do something. Your efforts will be appreciated. The person whom you've been seeing wants to intensify your relationship. Say yes.

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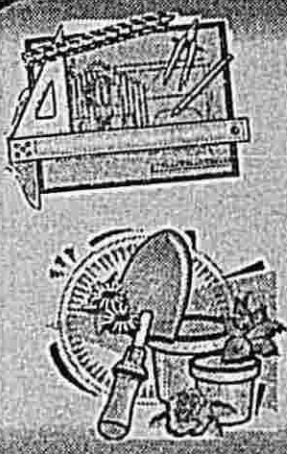
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Cleaning windows: Simple steps to a clearer outlook

Some windows look like they were cleaned with a good amount of spit and an oily mechanic's rag. Sticky fingers and wet noses pressed to the glass can wreak havoc on your view as well. But some

windows look worse after they've been cleaned. What could possibly have gone wrong? Plenty.

Hastily pursuing the perfect view can mean forgetting the most important credos of

crystal-clear windows: clean water and the right tools. So, how do you get windows to sparkle the first time? It's really not that hard.

Let's preface this by saying that there are many ways to do this job "right," and this is one method. Commercial window cleaning solutions can work well, but are not necessary for the job. Old-fashioned household cleaners are plentiful in most homes, as well as being inexpensive. Experts at Andersen Windows, Inc., the nation's leading window brand, suggest beginning with the right stuff: rubber gloves; two buckets or one bucket with two wells; sudsy ammonia; white vinegar; rubbing alcohol; several clean, dry rags; a squeegee; and a ladder (if necessary).

Follow these steps for the best view you've ever enjoyed:

1. Read and follow the manufacturer's instructions on each cleaning agent and all tools before beginning. In addition, use extreme caution when using ladders and working around open windows to maintain safe operation and avoid injury. If elevation devices are required, do not use furniture. Only use equipment intended for this purpose, such as ladders, scaffolding and step stools, and follow all manufacturer's instruction for safe operation.

2. Fill both buckets with 1-2 gallons of the hottest water your gloved hands can stand. Use caution in handling hot water to avoid burns and scalding.

3. In one of the two buckets, add one cup

each of ammonia and vinegar, plus two table-spoons of rubbing alcohol and stir. The latter will help water evaporate quickly and gives windows that "twinkle" factor.

4. Begin on the top story of the house, at the top of the window.

5. Wipe the entire surface with the solution. If necessary, bugs, stickers and other stubborn marks can be removed using a new straightedge blade, being careful to avoid personal injury or damage to the window. Once the dirt is removed, wipe the window a second time with the clear water.

6. Immediately squeegee the window, using a rag to wipe the squeegee dry after each swipe. This will limit the streaks caused by wet lines of water at the squeegee's edge and eliminate dripping onto your sparkling windows with wet tools.

7. Use a clean cloth to wipe only the wet corners and the sill.

Here are some extra tips:

- Again, use extreme care when working around window openings. Never leave a window unattended, especially when children are present. Falls may result in serious injury or death.

- Try swiping in only one direction - horizontal or vertical - on the inside of the house and the other direction on the outside. If you do find streaks, you'll know which side needs to be redone.

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Bubbly, energetic, kind SWF, 42, 5'4", 125lbs., with brown hair/eyes, who enjoys the outdoors, camping and fishing. Is in search of a fun, romantic, slim SWM, 35-47, for friendship first. Ad# 1804

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ACTIVE & BUBBLY

Nice, easygoing SWF, 61, 5', 120lbs., with dark brown eyes, who enjoys going for walks, birds and the outdoors, is hoping to meet an active SWM, 58-70, N/S. Ad# 1405

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This sweet SWF, 49, 5'3", 115lbs., who enjoys dancing, spending time with family and decorating her home, is looking for a young-at-heart SWM, over 44. Ad# 4180

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Here's a delightful, vivacious SWF, 40, 5'3", 100lbs., with brown hair/eyes, who wants to spend time with an honest, good-humored SWM, under 48, who shares her interests in reading, classic music, and old movies. Ad# 3232

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This educated SWF, 43, 5'8", with blonde hair and blue eyes, who enjoys golfing, skiing, working out and traveling, is interested in meeting up with an ambitious SWM, 42-49, with similar interests, for friendship first. Ad# 3784

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KEEP YOUR SPIRITS HIGH

Caring and fun-loving SWF, 59, 5'5", a pretty blue-eyed brunette, who enjoys dining out, concerts, traveling and much more. She's ISO an honest SWM, 55-70, who's young at heart and shares similar interests. Ad# 2975

HELLO, IT'S ME

SAF, 51, 5'1", 120lbs., with black hair and brown eyes, who likes singing, dancing and more, is looking for a sweet, romantic SAM, 20-25, to spend quality time with. Ad# 7565

HAVE FAITH

This SWF, 49, who enjoys working out, playing the guitar and taking long walks in the park, is looking for a SWM, 45-56, for a possible long-term relationship. Ad# 3853

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This honest, pretty SWF, 22, 5'9", 140lbs., a blue-eyed brunette, is an easygoing romantic who enjoys sports, movies, dining out, and long walks. Are you the handsome, sincere SWM, 20-29, who can make her laugh? Ad# 8820

THE SEARCH IS OVER

Energetic and outgoing SWF, 35, 5'5", 135lbs., with brown hair and hazel eyes, who enjoys the outdoors, movies and romantic walks, is seeking an interesting and humorous SWM, 27-42. Ad# 7638

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Active, humorous, unemployed SWF, 55, 5'3", 125lbs., with brown hair and hazel eyes, who enjoys crafts, dining out and dancing, is seeking a clean-cut, active, monogamous, tall, handsome SWM, 47-60, N/S. Ad# 5743

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Fun-loving and attractive SWF, 27, 5'2", 160lbs., with reddish-blonde hair and brown eyes, who enjoys singing, dancing and the outdoors, is seeking an honest, energetic and mature SWM, 25-40, for friendship first. Ad# 3850

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Don't hesitate to call this pleasant, outgoing SWF, 19, a 5'5", slender cutie with brown hair and green eyes, who wants to find that special guy, a considerable, good-looking SWM, 18-23, to share a meaningful relationship. Ad# 3734

HERE'S YOUR OPPORTUNITY

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WALK HAND IN HAND

Her friends would assure you she's an easy-going gal that enjoys movies, walks and community events, this SWF, 33, 5'3", with brown hair/eyes, that seeks companionship with a spiritual SWM, 28-36. Ad# 4152

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Fit and active SWF, 44, 5'5", 135lbs., who enjoys art, computers, kick boxing and yoga, is seeking a SWM, 37-56, for companionship. Ad# 4237

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TOGETHERNESS

WWWF, 75, 5'3", with salt and pepper hair, who enjoys the theater, socializing, shopping and traveling, is in search of a talkative SWM, 75-80, to spend time with. Ad# 5589

GET TO KNOW ME

This outgoing, attractive SWF, 19, 5'3", 130lbs., with blonde hair and brown eyes, enjoys movies, sports and the outdoors, is seeking a friendly, honest and outgoing SM, 20-25, who enjoys all aspects of life. Ad# 5607

NEW TO THE AREA

Professional, outgoing SWF, 56, who enjoys music, dining out and more, is in search of an upbeat, honest, family-oriented SWM, 50-70. Ad# 9898

GREEN ACRES

City girl turned country, this sincere, personable SW mother of two, 43, 5'7", 145lbs., a green-eyed blonde, who enjoys outdoor activities, country music, the beach and dogs, is seeking a fit, caring SWM, 38-46, who likes children. Ad# 7263

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Active, romantic SWF, 51, 5'7", with blonde hair and green eyes, who enjoys dancing, traveling and theater, is looking for an honest, creative SWM, 48-60, 5'10", who shares similar interests. Ad# 8175

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TAKE NOTICE

Outgoing, employed SW mother, 29, 5'8", is described as a gorgeous green-eyed blonde. She enjoys dancing, movies, theater and reading, and would love to meet an intelligent, considerate, handsome SWM, 30-38. Ad# 8978

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SWF, 63, 5'4", with blonde hair and hazel eyes, who enjoys writing, swimming and traveling, is in search of a straight-forward, honest SWM, 56-65. Ad# 9793

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Laugh and enjoy life with this green-eyed brunette SWF, 38, N/S, non-drinker. Her interests include cooking, movies, music, horseback riding and dining out, and she seeks an adventurous, fun-loving SWM, 35-50, with whom to share these things and more. Ad# 6805

GOAL ORIENTED

Fun, humorous SWF, 25, 5'8", 130lbs., with brown hair and green eyes, enjoys movies, dining out, swimming, and playing volleyball. She is seeking a fun SWM, 25-30, with similar interests. Ad# 7926

Someone Like You

Attractive, humorous SWF, 47, petite, a blue-eyed blonde who loves the outdoors and dancing, is ISO an attractive, humorous, active SWM, 39-49, with strong values. If that's you, call her. Ad# 7074

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This attractive, engaging DWPF, 45, petite, is an avid golfer, and is ISO a successful, active SWM, 40-60, who likes golfing, travel, cultural activities, water sports and bicycling. Ad# 5892

RADIANT GLOW

Friends say she's a sweet, kind and honest SWF, 45, 5'3", 135lbs., with auburn hair and hazel eyes, that's a real treat to spend time with. She likes music, cooking, reading, and seeks a compatible SWM, 44-55, for a possible relationship. Ad# 3134

ROMANCE

Spend a little time with her, this warm, friendly SWF, 75, 5'5", 150lbs., with blonde hair and blue eyes. She likes gardening, golf, tennis, and hopes to meet a similar SWM, 65-85. Ad# 3265

CONTACT ME

Compassionate SWF, 48, 5'5", 105lbs., with red hair and hazel eyes, who likes dancing, music and long walks, is interested in meeting a SWM, 45-60, for companionship. Ad# 7449

ACCOMPLISHED

Fun-loving SWF, 21, 5'9", with dark blonde hair and blue eyes, who enjoys sports, spending time with friends and more, is looking for a caring SWM, 20-30, to go out and have a good time with. Ad# 4169

COULD LEAD INTO MORE

But you won't know unless you call this attractive, humorous SWF, 65, 5'2", 120lbs., with reddish-blonde hair and blue eyes, N/S, who enjoys dining out, travel, movies, and romantic evenings, seeks a similar SWM, 60-69. Ad# 7151

SHOW ME AROUND

Shy-at-first SWF, 24, 5'4", with dark brown hair/eyes, an employed student, who enjoys reading and playing sports, is ISO a SM, 20-29, who likes traveling, to go out with, and develop a friendship and more. Ad# 8958

NOT TOO LATE

Attractive SWF, 30, 5'4", 165lbs., with blonde hair and blue eyes, who enjoys dining out, dancing and billiards, would like to meet a fun-loving, romantic SWM, 25-39, who has a good sense of humor. Ad# 5426

VIRGO

SWF, 50, 5'2", 110lbs., with blonde hair and hazel eyes, who enjoys reading, dining out, movies, dancing, taking walks and more, is hoping to meet a SWM, 48-55. Ad# 6340

TENDER HEART

Outgoing, fun SWF, 39, 5'3", 147lbs., with long black hair and brown eyes, enjoys rollerblading, the outdoors, swimming, and movies. She is seeking a sincere, caring SWM, 40-45. Children welcome. Ad# 1421

NEW HORIZONS

Movies, quiet dinners and jazz are just a few interests of hers, this humorous, personable WWF mom, 52, 5'2", with dark hair/eyes. So if you're a compatible SWM, 46-56, be sure to call today. Ad# 2799

DESIRES OF THE HEART

Mature SWF, 19, 5'1", 108lbs., who enjoys going to the movies, spending time with friends and more, is looking for a SM, over 18, who knows what he wants out of life. Ad# 6042

CHEMISTRY...

Is what this fun-loving, retired but active SWF, 68, 5'5", 145lbs., who likes the theater, dining out and traveling is looking for in you, if you're a fun-loving, friendly SWM, 65-78, N/S. Ad# 6761

THE MOON & STARS

Humorous, loving and employed SW mother of one, 42, 5'6", 130lbs., with red hair and brown eyes, who enjoys music, dancing, reading, sports, horseback riding, and camping, is seeking an affectionate, caring SWM, 40-50. Ad# 8647

SOMEONE SPECIAL

Quiet SWF, 50, 5'2", 125lbs., with brown hair and green eyes, who enjoys long walks, exercising, canoeing, movies and concerts, is seeking an intelligent, outgoing, honest, humorous SWM, 46-55. Ad# 9331

SOMEONE JUST LIKE YOU

Motorcycles, outdoor sports and auto racing are interests of this comical DW mom, 38, 5'6", with brown hair and blue eyes. She is hoping to meet a SWM, 40-55, with similar interests. Ad# 8935

ALL WE NEED

Honest, energetic SWF, 37, 5'6", 110lbs., with dark blonde hair, who likes boating, biking and spending time with family, is looking for a secure, honest SWM, 35-45, for a possible long-term relationship. Ad# 9779

ONLY THE BEST

Independent, secure SWF, 49, 5'6", 125lbs., with long brown hair and hazel eyes, is seeking a handsome, honest SWM, 40-59, 5'10", N/S. Her favorite activities include travel, music, theater, sports, ethnic cuisine and quiet times at home. Ad# 6138

IT'S DESTINY

Here she is, a SWF, 35, 5'4", a shapely, blue-eyed blonde who enjoys movies, music, dining out, sports and outdoor activities. Her choice will be a fun, athletic SWM, 30-40, who shares her love of animals and is interested in friendship. Ad# 7094

A MAGNETIC ATTRACTION

Friendship is foremost on the mind of this warm, caring DWPF, 57, petite, slender, with brown hair and blue eyes, who enjoys golf, music, dancing, and spirited conversation. Her choice will be a good-humored, dependable SWM, 50-59, with similar interests. Ad# 1945

A NEW WORLD

This physically fit SWF, 42, 5'6", 165lbs., with brown hair and eyes, is ISO a well-educated, affectionate SWM, 42-55, who shares her interests in ballet, classical music, movies, dining out, walking and more. Could you be him? Ad# 8642

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LOTS OF LOVE

This hard-working SWM, 45, 5'10", 200lbs., a student, who enjoys dining out, concerts, nature walks, children and more, is seeking a sweet and petite SAF, 30-50, for a possible future together. Ad# 7497

ADVENTUROUS

Athletic SWM, 44, 6'1", 151lbs., with brown hair and hazel eyes, who enjoys the outdoors, biking and rock climbing, is in search of a romantic and attractive SWF, 35-43, who shares his love of life. Ad# 4341

ARE YOU READY?

This caring and helpful SWM, 42, 5'11", 225lbs., with brown hair and hazel eyes, is seeking a SWF, 35-45, who shares his interests in boating, camping, fishing, talking and more. Ad# 1523

SHARE THE GOOD TIMES

DW dad, 42, who enjoys camping, skiing and classical music, is seeking a sincere, slender SWF, 34-42, for a possible relationship. Ad# 7316

PARTY WITH FRIENDS

Personable and outgoing, you'll get along great with this SWM, 22, 6'3", 240lbs., who has brown hair and blue eyes. He likes sports, time with friends and seeks a similar SF, over 18. Ad# 7597

UP TO LIFE'S CHALLENGES

This outgoing SWM, 34, 5'10", 175lbs., with dark blonde hair and brown eyes, enjoys skiing, snowmobiling, dirt bikes and martial arts. He's in search of a slender, attractive SWF, 24-42, who must like pets and the outdoors. Ad# 9822

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World Fact

What is the coldest recorded temperature in North America?

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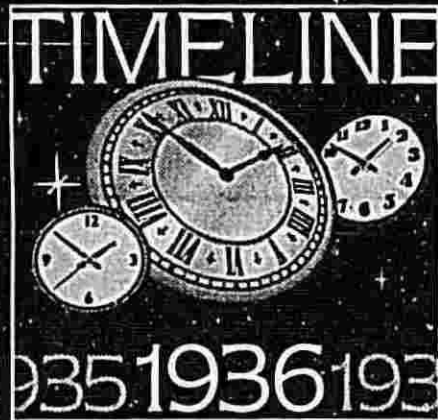
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• Kimberly-Clark, the World War I hospital-bandage maker, introduced the disposable handkerchiefs that came to be known as Kleenex.

• On April 3, actor Marlon Brando was born in Omaha, Neb.

• In November, R. H. Macy Co. sponsored the first Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade in New York City.



Answers

A record low for the continent, a temperature of 81 degrees below zero fahrenheit was recorded on February 3, 1947, at Snag, in Canada's Yukon territory.

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Garden Fill-In

Fill in the blanks below, and discover 12 plants that people grow in their gardens.

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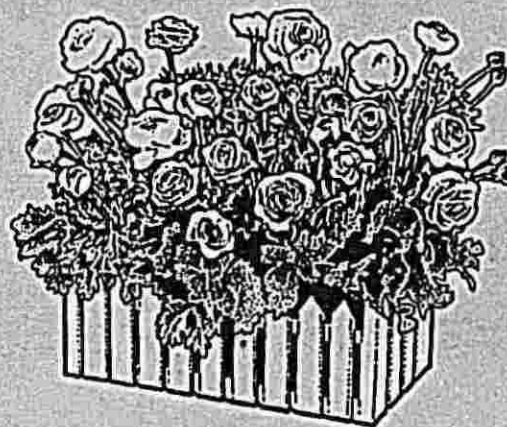
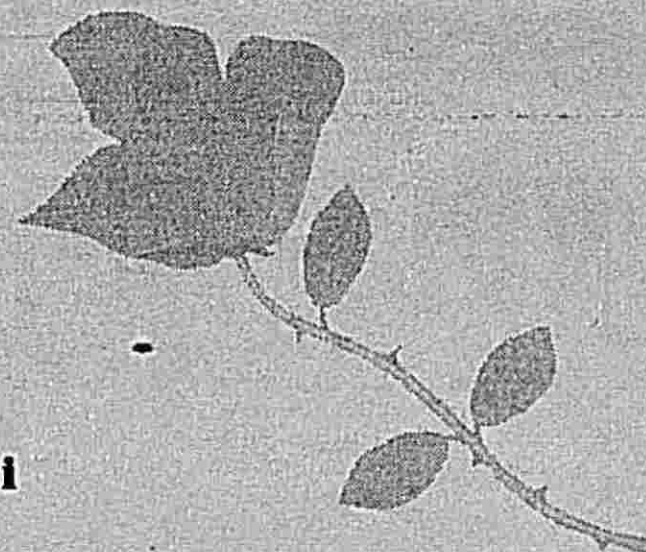


Flower Match

Match the state with its state flower by drawing a line from the left column to the right column.

1. Delaware
2. New York
3. Florida
4. Texas
5. California
6. Vermont
7. Mississippi
8. Ohio

- A. Bluebonnet
- B. Red clover
- C. Peach blossom
- D. Scarlet carnation
- E. Magnolia
- F. Rose
- G. Golden poppy
- H. Orange blossom



Answers

1. Rose
2. Tomato
3. C 2 F 3 H 4 A 5 G 6 B
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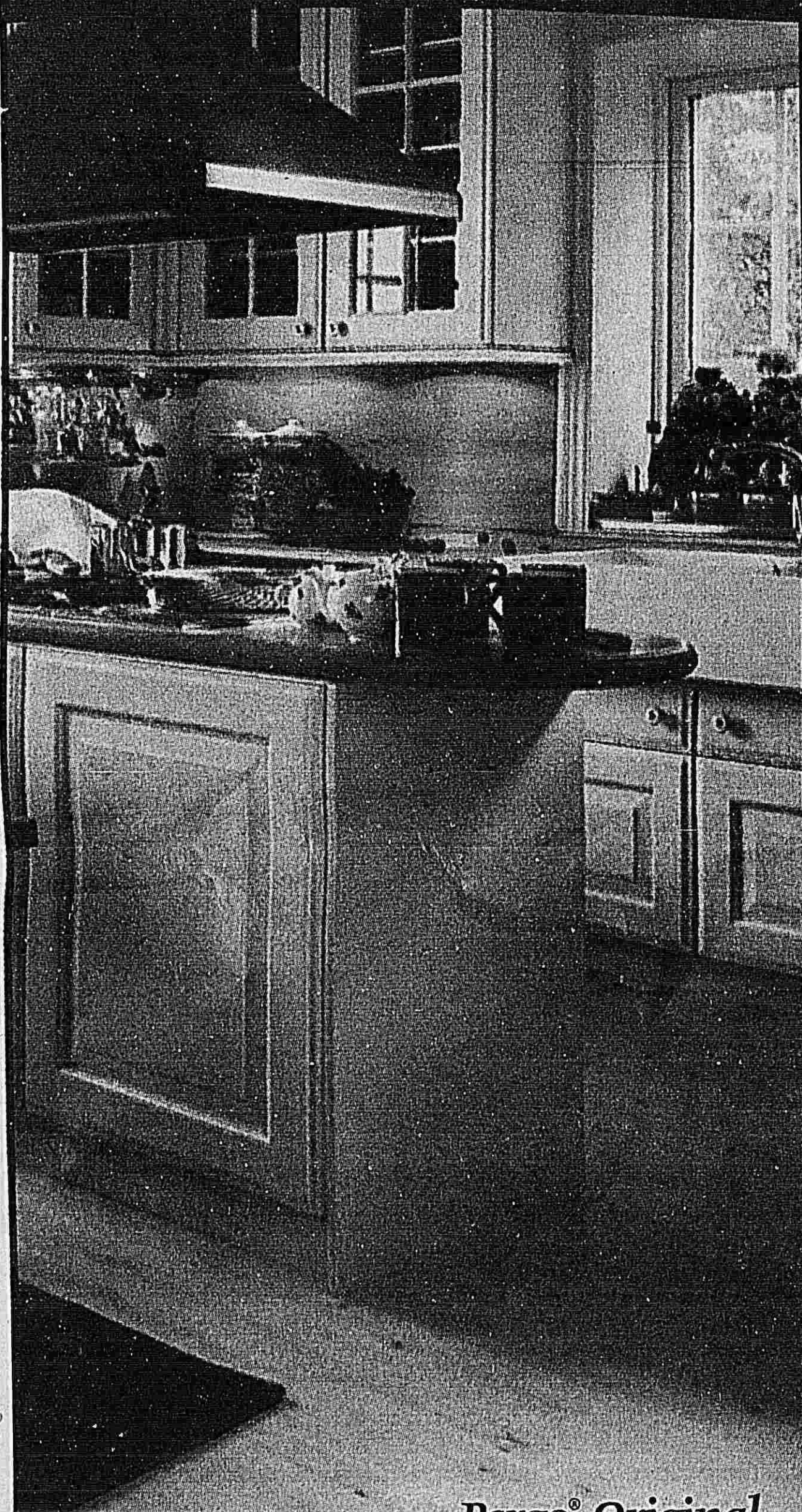
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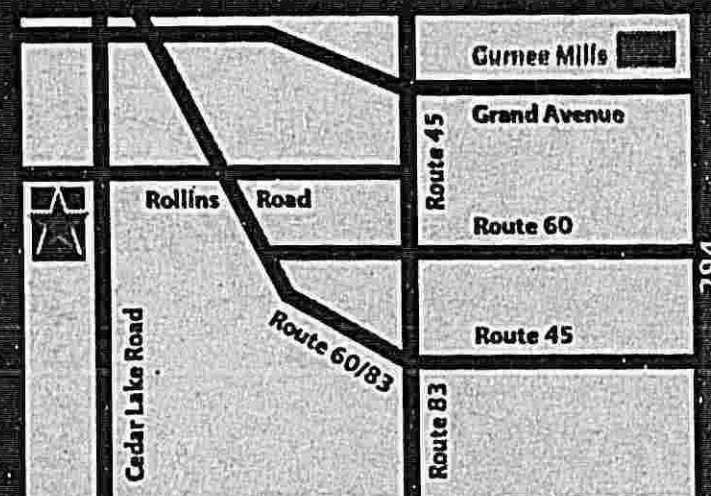
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'Fortinbras' opens March 3

"Fortinbras," a comedy that picks up where Shakespeare's "Hamlet" left off, will open at 7:30 p.m., March 3 in the Studio Theatre of the College of Lake County's Grayslake Campus. Performances will continue at 7:30 p.m. on March 4, 9, 10 and 11.

The CLC production is presented by the theatre department under the direction of Eibhlin Glennon, English and theatre instructor. Tickets are \$6 for CLC students, alumni and seniors 65 and over and \$8 for the general public. Call 543-2300 for tickets. Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express are accepted.

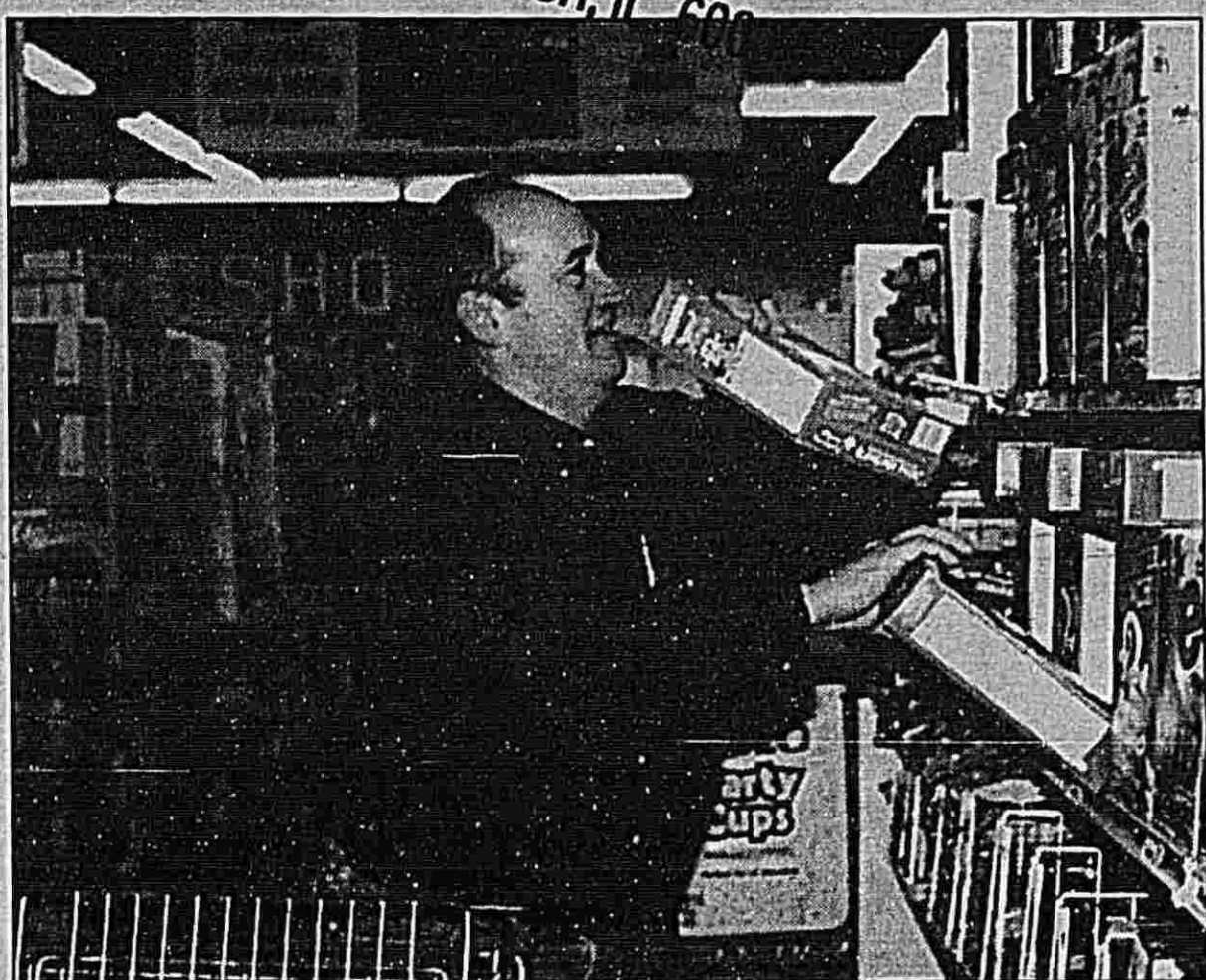
Start a small business

Individuals about to start a business can learn the skills necessary to make more than 40 business start-up decisions by attending "The Road to Business Success," an entrepreneurial training program offered by the College of Lake County's Small Business Development Center.

The 12-week program includes five workshops covering a step-by-step business planning process. A free bonus session providing tips on coordinating and using the plan is also included. The sessions will be offered from 6:30 to 10 p.m. on Thursdays beginning March 2 in Room C003. Students may attend the whole program or specific workshops.



Fremont Township Supervisor Peter Tekampe, photo at right, rapidly pulls cereal boxes off the shelf at the Mundelein Pik Kwik during a shopping contest with Warren Township Supervisor Suzanne Simpson (pictured with Tekampe in photo above). Tekampe won the contest by collecting \$1,187.60 worth of food. Sponsored and paid for by the Lake County Farm Bureau, the food is donated to the respective supervisors' township food pantries.



Supervisors stuff grocery carts for pantries

By SANDY HARTOGH
Staff Reporter

Township supervisors across Lake County may be finding themselves chanting throughout the year "Pete is the guy to beat!"

Of course, many will be in the run for the 2001 elections, but there will be one race against Fremont Township Supervisor Pete Tekampe that has nothing to do with politics.

Tekampe, once again, was the champion grocery shopper in the second annual Food Checkout Day

held Feb. 9 at the Mundelein Pik Kwik Food Store. He beat Warren Township Supervisor Suzanne Simpson by \$62.62 with a check-out receipt of \$1,187.60.

The event, which is sponsored by the Lake County Farm Bureau, benefits the respective township food pantries to which the supervisors donated their non-perishable groceries. The race was held on National Food Checkout Day, which is the day the average American family has earned enough money since Jan. 1 to purchase enough food for

the remainder of the year, said organizer Gregory Koeppen, who is the public information director for the Farm Bureau.

"The two food pantries are ultimately the winners," stated Koeppen, "but it was quite a sight to see. I was impressed—it was a fierce competition."

Koeppen said he came up with the idea last year when the Farm Bureau realized that local food pantry supplies were down.

"We decided to organize an event to help the pantries," explained

Koeppen, who noted that the food bills are paid for by the Farm Bureau.

Last year, \$900 worth of non-perishable food items was collected between Tekampe and Avon Township Supervisor Russ Christian. Tekampe admitted that he had some help developing a strategic plan for this year's event.

"I realized which items I needed to get," explained Tekampe, "so my assistant, Nancy, made a list of more costly items that we needed most at

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Wauconda company
charges patent infringement

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AIR BRADLEY

Candidate gets
endorsement from
Michael Jordan

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NTSB uncovers details about plane crash cause

By TIM O'DONNELL
Staff Reporter

National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB) investigators were finally able to interview the air traffic controller who was on duty at the Waukegan Regional Airport during the mid-air collision that took place over Zion on Feb. 8.

David Bowling, the NTSB official in charge of the Zion investigation, said that Feb. 14 was the first time they could talk to the control tower employee because he has been in

counseling for emotional distress since the accident.

So far, the NTSB has determined from wreckage inspection, radar readings from other sites and recordings of the pilots' communications that the Zlin 242, piloted by radio personality Bob Collins, was coming in for a final approach when a series of mistakes caused the Cessna 172, flown by student pilot Sharon Hock, to collide with the craft.

Federal Aviation Administration

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County, Forest Preserve discuss land swap for ex-Yorkhouse site

Lake County Forest Preserve and Lake County are negotiating an agreement for a land exchange.

The officials, who are the same individuals, are awaiting appraisals for the land at the Wetlands Demonstration project and the 14th Street Greenbelt Preserve in Waukegan.

The Lake County Forest Preserve side wishes to rescind a 1996 agreement and acquire the area previously earmarked for the Yorkhouse Road extension in northeast Lake County. The Lake County Department of Transportation would take over the 14th Street site.

"The previous administration

spent a lot of money on engineer work and studies, in the \$300,000 to \$500,000 range. It was an issue where people could rally around the flag pole. The administration did not want to listen to what the people said. Wadsworth Village Board and many others passed resolutions against it," said Lake County Board member Al Westerman, of Waukegan.

Westerman beat long-time incumbent Robert Depke on that issue.

Westerman, a member of the Lake County Board transportation committee, said the agreement could be finalized at the March meetings.

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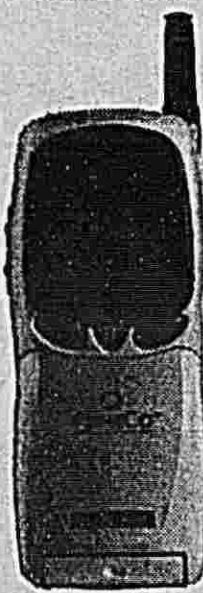
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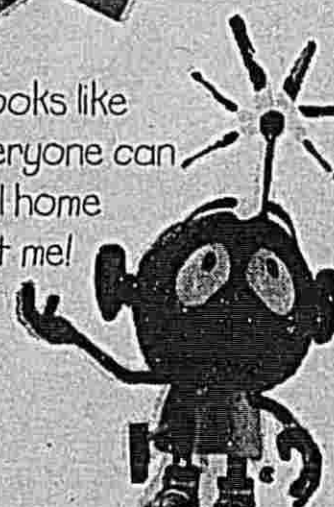


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Fourth bomb threat for RLHS

Round Lake—On Valentine's Day, Feb. 14, Round Lake High School received its fourth bomb threat of the school year. The third threat occurred exactly one week prior, on Feb. 7.

Students and staff were immediately evacuated to alternate school buildings.

Police conducted a search of the building and found nothing.

Although there is an on-going investigation into the Feb. 7 bomb threat, three 16-year-old Round Lake High School students, two female and one male, have been arrested in connection with the Valentine's Day threat.

The female caller has been charged with disorderly conduct.

Gun show issue freezes zoning permit

Grayslake—Lake County Fair Association President Dave DeYoung is concerned about the Village of Grayslake's reluctance to grant the LCFA a permit to use the land it purchased several years ago for additional fair parking.

The land had remained unused for a few years before last summer when the fair used it for parking. It was then that the LCFA found that it was a violation of the current zoning for the land. When the LCFA petitioned for a permit to use the land, the village attempted to get the fair to drop the show in exchange for parking.

Mayor Pat Carey explained that last fall the LCFA approached the village to "amend the special use permit to incorporate new land not zoned for parking use." It was then that the village reviewed the permit more closely. "We asked, 'Is there anything we want to address?' and the existence of the gun shows came up," said Carey.

Carey said she hopes to sit down with the LCFA in the next few weeks and discuss the situation. However, she remains firm on the desire to remove the gun shows from the fairgrounds after the year 2000 in exchange for the special use permit for parking.

"We want to have a good relationship with the village, but we cannot be held up from using that property because a few village officials want us to get rid of the gun show," said DeYoung.

"I am still very concerned that we have a gun show in our community," Chief of Police Larry Herzog commented. "I feel compelled to assign officers, officers that I would rather have in our neighborhoods."

Drunk driver charged after accident

Mundelein—A one-car accident during the early morning hours of Feb. 14 resulted in the death of one Mundelein resident and left another critically injured.

The driver of the car, Rigoberto Gonzalez, 23, of Mundelein was charged with reckless homicide and DUI.

At 2:47 a.m., Gonzalez and three passengers were traveling southbound on Diamond Lake Rd. in a gray 1985 Chevrolet Cavalier when the car hit a concrete pillar in front of Mendoza's Grocery, 1116 Diamond Lake Rd.

The impact ripped off the two passenger side doors, including the frame that held the seat belts on. The rear passenger wheel also hit the post, causing the rim to split in half.

The car continued to move forward until it hit a curb, ejecting the two passengers from the passenger's side.

Jaime Ramon Trinidad, 23, of Mundelein, was brought to Condell Medical Center where he later died. He was sitting in the rear on the passenger side.

Eliseo Mendez, 19, of Mundelein, was sitting in the front passenger seat. He was taken to Condell for a lacerated liver.

After the accident, Gonzalez and the third passenger, Alfredo Ndchebueno, 17, of Mundelein, fled the scene. They were taken into custody on Shady and Ridge Ln., about a half mile from the scene of the accident.

Both claimed that they were going for help and that the other was fleeing the scene.

After they were picked up by police, they were taken by ambulance to Condell. They both suffered minor injuries.



Breaking the Ice

Al Speechley of Downers Grove battles the cold weather while competing in the annual Loon Lake Ice Fishing Derby in Antioch Feb. 5.—Photo by Sandy Bressner

Sgt. Mark Parrisch, accident investigator for the Mundelein Police Department, said that Mendez alerted police to the accident after making his way to a house on Willow St.

Trustees accused of meetings violations

Wadsworth—During public input of the Wadsworth Village Board meeting on Feb. 15, a resident accused several trustees of violating the Open Meetings Act by conducting private committee meetings, talking village politics in social settings, and discussing village business directly before board meetings.

"I will take this under advisement and discuss it with the State's Attorney," said Mayor Evelyn Hoselton.

"I had no idea they were having these meetings," said Hoselton. "I want to make sure we're not in jeopardy."

Truck ban ordinance revised

Lindenhurst—At a meeting of the Lindenhurst Village Board on Monday, Feb. 14, the Board of Trustees approved a revision of an ordinance banning trucks in the village. The ordinance, as written, prohibits any type of truck, except for those which are vans used for passenger purposes, vans converted for commercial use (such as by the removal of seats), and pick-up trucks.

The revision permits trucks which were converted from pick-ups, such as a truck with an enclosed box on a pick-up frame. The definition of what constitutes a pick-up truck was expanded to include anything built on a pick-up truck chassis, including the large Ford 350 chassis.

The ordinance, designed specifically to exclude over-sized trucks such as moving vans and semi-trailers, originally banned all trucks, without exception, but was not enforced.

The revised ordinance passed by a vote of 4-2.

Gurnee tops in sales tax revenue

Gurnee—A diverse economy that draws buyers from many areas has earned the Village of Gurnee the highest tax revenue in the county.

Mayor Richard Welton said that the addition of five car dealerships to the village have boosted sales.

"We have a very diversified economy in Gurnee with Gurnee Mills and Great America," said Welton. "The only thing we were missing was the car dealerships."

Welton could not say that these figures supported a proposal made by Trustee Don Rudny to raise the village sales tax and cut the village's portion of the property tax.

Rudny said that a one half percent municipal sales taxes would raise \$5 million in revenue and save the property-owner an average of \$200 on their tax bill.

The mayor said that he needs to see the whole picture at the village's upcoming budget talks before he can make a decision.

"It's premature to say whether or not we should raise the sales tax," said Welton. "We have to look very closely at whether we should raise taxes no or in five years."

Dominick's chooses Fox Lake site

Fox Lake—Fox Lake Mayor James Pappas announced the signing of a Dominick's Finer Foods shopping center in Fox Lake.

"The former Horak property will be a Dominick's. I can announce an agreement has been reached with Great Lakes Principals of Wheaton. There will be two buildings, with another "box store" coming. The property is in Fox Lake, with sewer and water."

The area is the northwest corner of Route and Big Hollow Road, across from Jewel-Osco plaza.

Popular marina owner dies

Wauconda—For hundreds of Wauconda residents, he was known simply as "Lindy."

The popular owner of Lindy's Landing marina, Robert Lindstrom, died Feb. 13 at his winter home in Florida. He was 70 years old.

"It is a major loss to our organization. We met last night, it was very somber. We will be giving a \$500 donation for fish restocking at Bangs Lake," Glenn Swanson, president of Wauconda Lions Club, said.

Funeral services are scheduled for Feb. 17 at Messiah Lutheran Church in Wauconda.

Scholars for dollars program unveiled

Round Lake Heights—The Village of Round Lake Heights has just become the first community in Lake County to join Nicor Gas' Scholars for Dollars program.

At the Feb. 9 village board meeting, Nicor Gas representatives presented the village with a \$500 check to kick off their fund-raising efforts.

The program will benefit college-bound Round Lake Heights youths, as well as adults who need the funds to continue their education. Providing funds for tutoring could also be possible through the program.

Seniors receive Valentine bears

Libertyville—To celebrate Valentine's Day, the seniors of the Winchester House welcomed Bear Magic into their home for a party.

On Feb. 14, Bear Magic, a not-for-profit organization in Lake County, and its president, Doreen Lagoni, gave out teddy bears to the residents of Winchester.

Helping to hand out the more than 350 bears were students from West Oak Middle School in Mundelein. The students also provided entertainment by singing for the seniors after the bears were distributed.

According to Quimby Roniss, admissions director for the Winchester House, every year a Valentine's Day party is given for the seniors but this is the first year Bear Magic was included.

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EDITORIALS

Race focusing on new GOP look

One of the sage old sayings about running for public office—"Politics ain't bean bag"—is an apt reaction to the tut-tutting going on among Republican big wigs who have professed dismay over the perceived rough and tumble campaign for the GOP nomination for Congress from the 10th Dist.

The fact is that the wide open race has brought into the open a remarkable array of personal achievement, ability and potential in Republican ranks, a pool of talent that could serve the party well for many years to come. It's an easy prediction to make that if various GOP factions can close ranks behind their nominee, Republicans will have a strong candidate to contest State Rep. Lauren Beth Gash (D-Highland Park), who is getting the nomination by default, and keep the demographically diverse district in the GOP column.

The 10th Dist. already has drawn the attention of national Democratic strategists who see a golden opportunity to add to their ranks in Congress. They will be directing energy and resources into the 10th like never before. The 10th Dist. could well be one of the nation's pivotal Congressional elections, the outcome defining what U.S. politics will be in the first decade of the new millennium.

In the spirit that a wide open, free swinging primary will produce the strongest contender, Illinois Republican Party Chairman Rich Williamson is wide of the mark in decrying what he has chosen to describe as mudslinging and smear tactics. One man's mud is another man's actuality. It's all in the eye of the beholder.

The original Republican field of 12 candidates to succeed retiring Congressman John Porter is thinning out rapidly through a combination of drop outs, early endorsements, failure to connect with the electorate and lack of initiative. Among those still "in the hunt" are candidates with the capability of advancing party positions on curbing crushing taxation, limiting big government, promoting local control of education, providing a strong national defense, maintaining leadership in a global economy and continuing to enact sensible anti-crime initiatives. The only difference we see among the leaders is how they view right to life questions, a long-standing party bugaboo.

With little more than a month to go, three candidates, ex-Porter aide Mark Kirk, Northbrook Mayor Mark Damisch and conservative Glenview businessman and tax attorney John Cox, are neck-and-neck in the endorsement race. All three are well organized, articulate and adequately funded. Close on their heels are millionaire Andrew Hochberg and banker-businessman Jim Goulka. With a big buck TV blitz built around a family theme, Hochberg appears to be promoting day care centers more than running for Congress. Of all the candidates, Goulka has the best understanding of the critical role business plays in keeping America morally, socially and economically strong.

The electorate in the 10th Dist. covering the North Shore to the state line and including Libertyville Township and northern tier communities in Cook County by and large is well-educated, moderate and above all discerning.

We expect Republican voters to do their homework and select their candidate for Congress with care. Obviously, there will be only one nominee. Judging from the overall high quality of the aspirants for Porter's seat, though, unsuccessful runners can continue to be high profile party members and potential candidates for high office in the future.

The GOP can take justifiable pride in the quality of the aspirants for John Porter's seat in Congress.

Record, not race, deciding factor

Deputy Lake County Coroner Ezekiel Locke Jr. had huge holes in his resume and performance, so gaping that they could not be ignored when his credentials came under careful scrutiny. Locke resigned when it became apparent that his background was fraught with fraud, but not before leveling charges of racism because he is an African-American.

A thorough investigation by Coroner Barbara Richardson substantiated not only the resume fabrications, but also revealed that the three-year deputy was a fugitive. The investigation established beyond a shadow of a doubt that racial discrimination was not involved.

While the dark side of affirmative action momentarily became a part of the inquiry into Locke's ability to serve in a position of responsibility, in the end the question boiled down to the individual's character, honesty, integrity and violation of a public trust. Race had nothing to do with Ezekiel Locke's departure. That's the way it should be.



VIEWPOINT

Movies got start in Lake County

Before there was a motion picture industry in Hollywood, there was Lake County. Yes, that's us.

So while the cameras are churning now at the Brainerd Building in Libertyville for the making of the film, "New Port South," the story of a group of young people at a fictional high school struggling with their teenage years, the full length feature due out this fall is only another of a growing list of motion pictures shot in Lake County.

Easily the most popular film with location work in Lake County was "The Blues Brothers," virtually a classic now with memorable comedy work from Dan Aykroyd and the late John Belushi. Phil's Beach, Wauconda, was used for swimming scenes and Blues Brothers fans can never forget the string of police cars careening off the Rte. 176 overpass over Rte. 12.

"New Port South" producers expect to finish their work in the county in about a month. Libertyville High School District has been collecting \$15,000 per month rent for use of the World War I vintage Brainerd Building.

Lake County's first experience with motion picture filming was in 1898 when Waukegan inventor Edward H. Amat brought his new 35 millimeter camera to Third Lake to recreate scenes from the Spanish American War waging at the time in Cuba. Amat, who combined a strong theatrical streak with his mechanical genius, wasn't able to test his new camera in the battle zone so he created his own "war" with willing neighbors in a field near what now is the Grayslake campus of College of Lake County. Amat's camera was the first practical 35 millimeter motion picture camera.

"My Best Friend's Wedding" and "Ordinary People" are among other popular motion pictures with footage obtained on location in Lake County.

Amat's recreated battle scenes from more than a 100 years ago and other artifacts from his experience with films will be part of an art and entertainment display, "19th Century Fox," opening May 21 at the Lake County Museum.

Scholarships

Members of the Round Lake



BILL SCHROEDER
Publisher

Area Chamber of Commerce and Industry have launched an innovative matching scholarship program, believed to be a first. For a limited time, the chamber will match member gifts of \$250 or \$500 with the scholarship given in the name of the donor.

Learning to learn

Antioch High School's trail blazing program, Wisdom Hall, is gaining recognition in the area of improving study habits and teaching students how to learn. Wisdom Hall, named by one of the students, literally is an expanded hallway without doors or windows. Activities are directed by Ann Kakacek, a veteran teacher, who has a knack for inspiring young people to attain their potential. Supt. Dennis Hockney said it's Antioch's way of preventing academic failure.

Non-exclusive club

Commuters without reserved parking spots at the Libertyville Metra station are finding membership in the Breakfast Club is the way to

go. Whatever their departure time, they arrive at 6 a.m. to get space in a non-designated lot near the station and then head out for breakfast at a nearby eat spot where they relax until train time. Regular early arrivals joke about their "club."

"Works like a charm, if you don't mind getting up extra early," remarked a member from Gurnee.

Work of love

Larry Zanko may be retired, but he sure isn't tired. Zanko, an art director and public school art curriculum coordinator during his working days, regularly spends eight hours a day at his drawing board doing what he always has loved—cartooning. Zanko regularly cashes checks from New Yorker, Saturday Evening Post and other nationally known publications that publish original humor cartoons. The soft-spoken Waukegan resident is at his best creating an arresting line drawing accompanied by a punchy caption guaranteed to produce a laugh. Recalling college days, Larry said he traded gags and compared art work with a fellow collegian. His name was Hugh Hefner, Larry remembered.

"Funny how Hugh went in a different direction," Zanko mused.

Every Zanko cartoon is a work of love.

One man's family

Grandson John didn't give a second thought over who he would impersonate during Celebrity Day at his kindergarten class. A polo shirt, that distinctive peaked baseball cap and a golf club. Presto. Tiger Woods. Who else? Tiger is John's hero.

Where to call or write

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William Clinton
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Ave.,
Washington, D.C. 20500

Vice President

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PARTY LINES

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Cox, Kirk tangle over campaign resume

With about one month until election day, the wide-open race for the Republican nomination for Congress in the 12th District is getting expensive—and nasty.

Besides rounding up votes in the North Shore District that extends into Libertyville and Arlington Heights, **Mark Kirk** has been kept busy answering charges that he has embellished his record and his resume.

Tax attorney **John Cox** hasn't denied questioning Kirk's job title while serving in retiring Congressman **John Porter's** office 10 years ago. In response to the conservative Cox inquiries, Kirk explained that his title and duties were that of administrative assistant, although he served in the capacity of chief of staff as his campaign literature originally stated.

Kirk also has been the target of a whispering campaign about his personal life and background. Questions about the candidate didn't deter Libertyville Township Republican precinct committeeman from endorsing Kirk last week.

Political observers are projecting the top five candidates in the 11-person race will be spending an estimated \$500,000 each to nail down the nomination, making it one of the most expensive primary campaigns in the nation. There's varied opinion about who's in the top five.

Carter team

County Board Rep. **Bonnie Thomson Carter** (R-Ingleside),



Kirk: Is he guilty of Goreisms?

running for reelection in the District 5 covering Grant and Wauconda Townships, had a high profile team of Wauconda Township Republican leaders handling ticket details for a fund-raising event Friday night, Feb. 18, at Millcreek Banquet Hall, Wauconda. The Carter ticket committee included Wauconda Mayor **Jim Eschenbach**, Wauconda Township Trustees **Glen Swanson** and **Rosemary Mers** and Wauconda Park Commissioner **Mark Liddell**. Carter is opposed by Fox Lake Mayor **Jim Pappas**.

Watch for fraud

As an incumbent, State Rep. **Mark Beaubien** (R-Barrington) is highlighting constituent service in his reelection campaign. Beaubien informed voters how to deal with fraudulent telemarketers in a letter calling attention to **KNOW FRAUD**, a toll-free hotline at 1 (877) 987-3728 in Washington, DC. Beaubien is be-



Schullen: Has that Republican team spirit

ing challenged by **Bob Freese** of rural Mundelein in the district that covers Grant, Avon, Fremont, Wauconda, Cuba and part of Elia townships.

Team concept

With a "Don't break up the team" theme, County Board **John Schullen** (R-Libertyville) is helping his own reelection efforts and doing his job as Lake County Republican chairman at the same time.

Schullen, opposed on his home turf by George Bell Jr., says GOP incumbents on the County Board "all have been doing a good job and deserve to be reelected."

Schullen sailing

Speaking of party chairmanship politics, Schullen looks to sail back for another two years now that **Ken Cabay**, Elia Township GOP activist, and **Guy Garrison** of Zion have lost their ardor for the leader-

ship post. State Sen. **Terry Link** (D-Vernon Hills), long-time Democratic chair, never had any opposition.

Dual personalities

This comes as an unusual compliment, but Republican **Cicely Price** of Lake Forest is rated a strong chance of upsetting State Rep. **Susan Garrett** (D-Lake Forest) in November because Price is regarded as "so much like Garrett." Same hometown, similar background, strong motivation to improve education, outgoing personality. Price could benefit if the North Shore district goes heavily for the Republican presidential candidate this fall.

Paid worker

Fred Bigham informed Party Lines that his involvement in the March 21st primary is that of a paid consultant for Congressional candidate **Jerry Gladman**, not as a staff worker as reported several weeks ago for **Mollie Larson**, who is running for a Lake County Board nomination.

Gladman, a resident of Glenview, is one of two 10th Congressional District candidates to set up a campaign office in Libertyville, the other being **Shawn Donnelley**. Gladman formerly was an advertising executive specializing in medical advertising and is regarded as an expert on health care issues.

Gladman's landlord, by the way, is **Jack Martin**, the outspoken political activist. Martin hasn't announced who he's supporting in the crowded 10th District GOP primary.



THE PFARR CORNER

Jerry Pfarr

Jordan jumps on Bradley bandwagon

George W. Bush, the governor of Texas, in his quest to become our next president has been endorsed by 26 state governors and 85 members of Congress.

The governors backing him for the Republican nomination include such heavy hitters as Tommy Thompson of Wisconsin, Bob Taft of Ohio, George Pataki of New York, and Bush's "little brother," Jeb Bush of Florida.

The members of Congress supporting George W. Bush include such well-known Republicans as our own Phil Crane of Illinois, Phil Gramm of Texas, Orin Hatch of Utah, Connie Mack of Florida (the namesake descendant of the famous baseball manager), John Warner of Virginia (one of Elizabeth Taylor's "exes") and Mary Bono of California (Sonny's wife).

Those endorsing Bush are legion and lucrative, but Democratic candidate Bill Bradley isn't doing too badly either. He now has the endorsement of Michael Jordan, one of the most famous and perhaps most influential celebrities in the world.

(Jordan's mother, Deloris, by the way, has supported Veep Al Gore, Bradley's opponent for the Democratic nomination.)

Bradley is collecting endorsements and cash from his old basketball buddies. One might suspect that Jordan's arrival on the bandwagon came at the request of Phil Jackson, Bradley's former New York Knicks teammate and Jordan's former Chicago Bulls coach.

Four years ago folks were talking about such election factors as the "soccer mom's vote." Is there a "jock vote" out there this year?

In an ad he taped for the Bradley campaign, Jordan looks directly into the camera and says, "It's time for us to believe in something that will give every American an opportunity to succeed and be viewed equally. That's why I'm supporting Bill Bradley for president. Shouldn't you?"

Jordan continues: "I know the kind of America I want for my children. It's a place where every family has good health and no family suffers the tragedy of gun violence. It's a place where every child has a bright future and where skin color or eye shape doesn't matter anymore."

It is Jordan's first foray into politics.

The race for the White House obviously is narrowing to four candidates: Bush, the former president's son; John McCain, the Republican senator from Arizona; Bradley, the former senator from New Jersey; and Vice President Gore.

After the Republicans and Democrats choose just two of those four, more celebrities will be offering their endorsements. Stars of the entertainment world will be getting into the act big-time.

Eight years ago, for example, lining up in Democrat Bill Clinton's camp were Robert Redford, Warren Beatty, Chevy Chase, Markie Post, John Ritter, Cybil Shepherd, Barbra Streisand and Mary Steenburgen.

Backing Republican George H. Bush were Tom Selleck, Charlton Heston, Tony Danza, Clint Eastwood, Loretta Lynn, Arnold Schwarzenegger and Rich Little (who does a great Richard Nixon).

The football coach, Mike Ditka, an ultra-conservative, also may be heard from again. In 1992 he warned voters, "If Bill Clinton is elected, it will be the biggest mistake in 200 years."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

So who is the real liberal here?

I found Rep. Beaubien's recent attack against his opponent, Bob Freese, very strange.

Beaubien was asked about the quiet, dignified campaign of Mr. Freese. He then launched into a full scale negative attack—Bob Freese, he tells us, is terrible and extreme because Freese probably "will" go negative. "That's the modus operandi of an extreme right candidate," he says.

So let me get this straight. Beaubien, the liberal, goes negative first. His negative attack? Ah—Bob Freese, the conservative, "might" say bad things against Mark Beaubien.

If Beaubien is so afraid that he will be called liberal for sponsoring gay rights legislation, opposing the partial birth abortion ban, being the deciding vote in committee to keep the permanent income tax increase, etc., he shouldn't have built the record he's built.

If he doesn't watch out, his opponent might fire back some day.

William Sloss

Peaker problems

The deregulation of the electric utilities has created a regulatory void that is quickly filling up with peaker power plants.

Peakers are an atypical business and do not behave like other industries. They are, however, regulated like normal industry. Their air emissions are calculated on an annual basis although they run only three months out of the year. The tons of air pollutants are concentrated over only a quarter of the year.

Their location is not determined by regular land use issues but by the availability of power lines and gas mains. Therefore, they are not looking into locating in an existing

industrial zone. This creates novel problems like noise close to a residential area. It also creates a clustering of peakers in areas of transmission capability.

Peaker plants are not dependent on the local market or the local economy and do not need to be good neighbors. This self-regulating mechanism that works so well with other industries is not there.

Their promise of an abundance of electricity distracts from the necessity to conserve energy. Gas, like coal, is a nonrenewable resource.

Just because our groundwater is free does not mean it is worthless. Many people depend on it for their drinking water. No one entity should be allowed to use it all.

Verena Owen
Winthrop Harbor

ComEd sales pitch

What a disappointment. Tom Skinner, director of the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, addressed the Lake County Board on "peaker" electrical generating plants. This was in response to the request for a delay in issuing air permits for these plants until a statewide siting policy could be developed. Unfortunately, what the environmentalists had hoped would be an exciting exchange of ideas was instead a sales pitch for ComEd and the power industry. Skinner stated that Lake County is attractive to peakers due to the availability of high-tension power lines and gas mains. He omitted that we are attractive also because our environmental laws are significantly weaker than Wisconsin's. Skinner repeated the Springfield mantra that peaker control is a local concern.

Oddly enough, Skinner admit-

ted the flaws in that policy. Local laws do not protect communities from the actions of a neighbor. He admitted that there is no state-level regulation of groundwater. He admitted that his agency does not enforce noise issues. He did not address how a village board, with six part-time lay trustees, could deal effectively with the highly technical issues of air quality and groundwater supply.

Lake County has reason to be concerned. We are a non-attainment area for ozone, and had five days in '99 where our air was actually unhealthy to breathe. There are 40-odd peaker plants waiting for permits from the IEPA, and we are downwind of most of them. Skinner did not address how any local controls we implement will protect us, especially our elderly, infirmed and children, from the additional 14,000 tons of choking nitrogen oxides (the main ingredient of the health-threatening low level ozone) that these plants emit.

Skinner asked if we thought he was following the laws. Unfortunately, he probably is. He needs to change the laws; and until then, he's just not doing his job.

Susan Zingle
Executive Director
Lake Co. Conservation Alliance

Heartfelt thank you

As has been widely reported over the past several days, on Tuesday, Feb. 8 a mid-air collision resulted in a small aircraft crashing onto the roof of Midwestern Regional Medical Center in Zion, and exploding. Since the tragedy struck, I have been witness to a remarkable phenomenon: the pulling together of communities in

facing the disaster together.

From the uncertainty of not knowing precisely what had occurred immediately after the collision, to the seamless evacuation of the hospital and the discovery of the extent of the tragedy, emergency personnel and volunteers from 29 area communities responded to the call for assistance, working together with our staff and employees in an incredible display of cooperation. On behalf of Cancer Treatment Centers of America at Midwestern Regional Medical Center, I would like to extend this public thanks to all who responded to the call and risked their own safety, in particular the City of Zion Police and Fire Departments.

In addition, it must be stated that the hospital employees and staff responded to the crisis in an exceptional manner. Regardless of title or position, each and every member of our team rose to the occasion, ensuring that no patient in the facility was at risk at any time during the evacuation, while fully cooperating with the authorities in containing the situation.

Because of the extensive training our employees have undergone for a wide variety of situations including internal disasters, true teamwork shined through when they were called upon to use that training under extremely difficult circumstances. By their exemplary responses to this tragedy, they have proven that they really are extraordinary. Their dedication and commitment to our patients and their safety are unparalleled and my admiration for each of them is unsurpassed.

Roger C. Cary
President/CEO
Midwestern Hospital

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Jan. 3-7

Keith Osgood and Antoinette Harrington of Beach Park; Jason Weedon and Melissa Whitman of McHenry; Sixto Casas and Regina Carrillo of Wauconda; Jeffrey Kotz and Jane Rieder of Mundelein; Juan Ortiz of Beach Park and Maria DeLeon Torres of Zion; Chandra Govindarajulu of Lindenhurst and Amy Anderson of Gurnee.

Thomas Groth and Laura Delano of Gurnee; Timothy Hemmerling and Patricia Bevis of Mundelein; David Hudson and Cathy Puls of Wauconda; Jeffrey Krasinski and Michelle Krasinski of Fox Lake; Charles Lagoni II and Suzanne Kieser of Mundelein; Robert Perry of Mundelein and Tami Zao of Deerfield.

Jan. 10-14

Roberto Dominguez and Cynthia Anderson of Round Lake; Neal Matthews and Angela Shupperd of Lake Villa; Alfred Richter and Ann Lawrence of Gurnee; James Osmera and Elsie Fitzgibbons of Gurnee; Eric Burns and Tricia Pipe

of Mundelein; William Dinschel and Susan Clark of Ingleside.

Jan. 17-21

Miguel Cosio and Blanca Gonzales of Round Lake; Tacettin Fidan and Nadine Joffe of Mundelein; David Carnegie and Kimberlee Mikolajczak of Lake Zurich; Kenneth Pollard of Round Lake and Bobbie Kelly of Lake Villa; Edward Ruck of Antioch and Valerie Fisher of Hawthorn Woods.

Jaime Vallejo and Carolyn Guasias of Round Lake Beach; Gary Garcilazo and Sherese Mays of Gurnee; Ramiro Herrera of Round Lake Beach and Norma Corral of Lake Zurich; Terry Hopkins and Antoinette Lynn of Antioch; Corey Ryan of Round Lake Beach and Ronny Daugherty of Round Lake Heights; Mark Schilling and Peggy Savage of Gurnee.

Jan. 24-28

Joshua Brown and Lori Jones of Wildwood; Kevin Wilhelm and Melissa Catalano of Spring Grove; Jeffrey Garvin and Mildred Meister

of Lake Zurich; Ronald Highley and Tabettha Pemble of Antioch; David Valencia and Diane Jones of Island Lake; Ronald Hutchens and Donna Button of Mundelein; Jose Figueroa and Susan Figueroa of Round Lake. Patrick Meyer and Lisa Jensen

of Mundelein; Joseph Bieda of Waukegan and Naomi Harrah of Gurnee; Laron Funchess and Zenaida Sanchez of Park City; Mauricio Hernandez and Jacqueline Hink of Mundelein; David Martin and Marcia Bates of Anti-

och; Tomas Rios Jr. and Teresa Krennrich-Stuckart of Lake Zurich; Raul Salgado and Veronica Ohlson of Mundelein; Terry Willcox and Mirna Cano of Round Lake Beach; Lashon Wilson and Lorena Franco of Mundelein.

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CRASH

(FAA) officials said that a comparison of radio communications and radar reports showed that Hock first misjudged her position over the ground. Hock believed that she was over Lake Michigan while radar shows that she was actually west of the body of water. The water's edge is a key marker for the tower to align the planes for landing.

As Collins approached the runway with radio clearance from the tower, Hock made her second mistake when, in an attempt to configure her plane for her final approach behind the Zlin, the student pilot flew in front of Collins' plane.

The two planes collided about two and a half miles from the airport. Collins' plane struck the top of the Midwest Regional Medical Center. The Cessna crashed onto a street about one half mile away, barely missing a nursing home. No one, besides the pilots and Collins' passenger, Herman Luscher, was seriously injured in the crash.

Investigators believe that the propeller of the Zlin made first contact with the left wing of the Cessna. Pieces of the propeller were found on the Cessna's left wing flap.

Bowling told reporters that the staffing and equipment at the Waukegan Regional Airport will be taken into consideration during their investigation.

Waukegan's tower is privatized

and is staffed by non-FAA controllers. When the FAA ran Waukegan's tower, there were twice as many controllers on staff.

Neil Otterbacher, Waukegan Regional Airport manager, said that the air traffic controllers are under a contract with a private company that is funded by the FAA, but the controllers themselves are not directly paid by the FAA.

However, towers that are controlled by employees under private contract are still evaluated with the same criteria by the FAA.

Another thing that will be looked at is the fact that Waukegan does not have its own radar system, like most airports of the same size. Otterbacher said that the planes that are coming into the airport are under the

guidance of the Chicago radar system.

"Any instrument flight that comes into this airport is watched by the Chicago system," he commented.

Airports in Wheeling and DuPage County have "slave" radar, or radar feeds from other radar stations.

Otterbacher said that it is up to the FAA to decide whether a radar system or slave radar system needs to be added to the Waukegan airport.

"If they think it is needed, then they will install it," explained Otterbacher.

Chicago's Meigs Field obtained a slave system after a similar crash in 1997. Meigs handles about one third of the traffic that Waukegan handles.

PANTRIES

the pantry."

Cereals, breakfast foods and juice boxes were at the top of Tekampe's list.

"I'm pretty sure it was the juice boxes that pushed me to the top," said Tekampe, who pulled his hamstring during the race.

The supervisors had 10 minutes to race through the store. Assistants helped exchange empty carts for full carts, but it was up to Tekampe and

Simpson to yank items from the shelves. At the end, they filled a combined total of 20 shopping carts.

"I had to beat Sue," stressed Tekampe. "She challenged me at a board meeting and I had to take that to heart."

"I only hope that the Farm Bureau picks someone closer to my age next year," concluded Tekampe. "Sue is one of the youngest supervisors in the county!"

NEXT WEEK

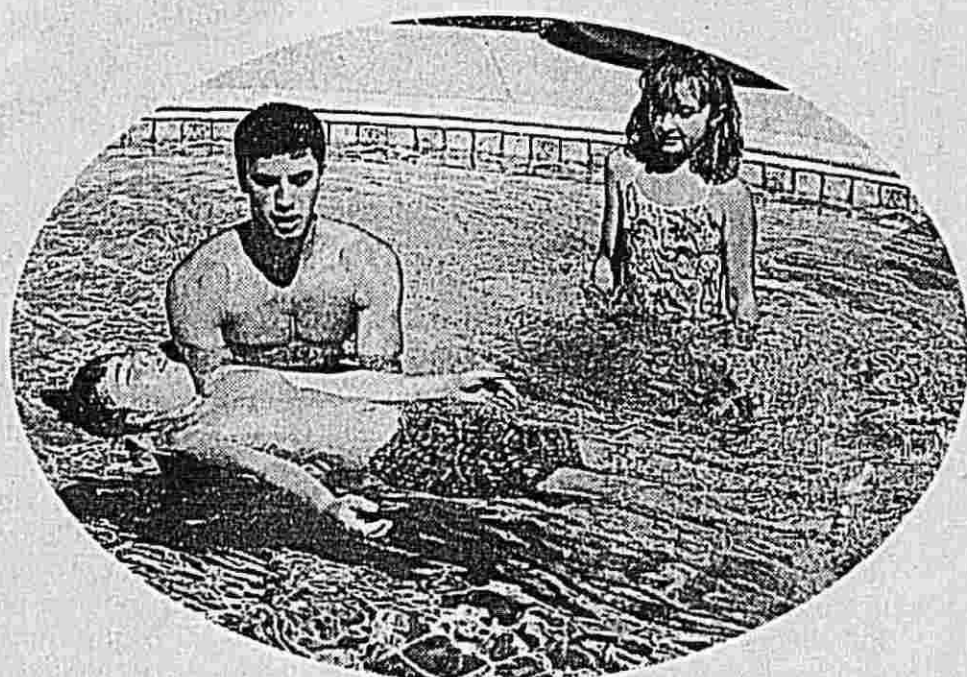
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It's Hastings Lake YMCA

Your hometown Y serving Gurnee, Grayslake, Antioch, Lake Villa-Lindenhurst, the Round Lake area and Fox Lake-Ingleside needs heroes, people who give so kids can have fun in a safe place.

Kids should have heroes and a Y experience. Your gift, in any

size, helps make scholarships possible for children who need scholarship support. You become a hero when you give. It's a wonderful feeling—for you and a worthy child enjoying fun at Hastings Lake YMCA.

Please give to the 2000 Annual Campaign
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Here's my gift. I'm ready to be a hero!
☐ \$25 ☐ \$50 ☐ \$75 ☐ \$100 ☐ \$250 ☐ \$500 ☐ \$1,000 Chairman's Circle Member
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I am a YMCA member/program participant ☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Enclosed is my check, made payable to the Hastings Lake YMCA

☐ Please bill me in installments: ☐ monthly ☐ quarterly ☐ every six months

☐ Please charge my: ☐ Visa ☐ Discover ☐ MasterCard

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Address

Signature

Date

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Name

Daytime Phone

☐ Please send me information on how I can help secure kids' futures with a gift to the endowment fund.



MINDING YOUR OWN BUSINESS

Don Taylor

Risk versus reward—why winners win

To win without risk is to triumph without glory. —Pierre Corneille

You've heard the old saying, "nothing ventured, nothing gained." It is true. When we seek any reward—fortune, fame, or excellence—we place ourselves at risk.

As a baseball fan, I love to watch power hitters like McGuire and Sosa bring the crowd to its feet with a long drive over the fence. Yet, all home-run record holders failed more often than they succeeded. Their lifetime records of strikeouts are two or three times greater than their home run totals.

While the thrill of winning is enticing, to many people, the risk of losing is just too threatening. Many people are afraid to step up to the plate in the game of life. They would rather forego any potential reward than strike out. They rationalize their action by saying, "I may not have won, but I didn't lose either."

The result is what I call the "mediocrity mentality." This describes folks who settle into a comfort zone somewhere between success and failure. They just get by. The epitaph on their gravestone might truthfully read, "Dead at 25, buried at 85."

If we were honest with ourselves, we would all admit there are times in our lives when we settle into the "mediocrity mentality." Times when we've traded the challenge of excelling for the comfort zone of safety.

What ultimately separates winners from whiners is how much time we spend in the comfort zone. When we won't risk failure for an exciting and worthwhile reward, we've already failed. For when we fail to try, we lose in life.

I've seen some winners over the years that had good reason to stay in the comfort zone. They were poor, lacked education, had a family history of losing and they had failed once already, etc. They could truly justify their loser's limp.

Some went on to achieve greatness. They became winners because they tried again.

A winner's profile

There are several characteristics you'll find present in winner's lives. They were not born with these characteristics, they developed them by spending time out of the comfort zone. They were not content with the "mediocrity mentality."

Winners develop a positive core of confidence. No outside negative force can erode this internal positive. When bombarded with negative input, winners focus on past successes instead of past failures.

Winners wind their own clock. The road to success begins when you become fed up with not achieving what you earnestly desire from life. Winners do not depend on someone else's signal or encourage-

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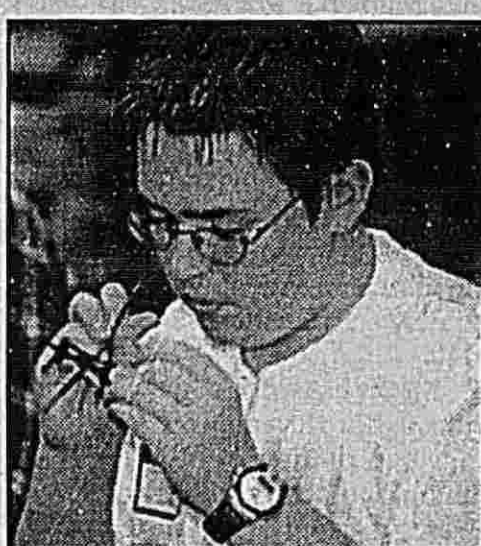
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Round Lake resident Mike Martin talks with Makita Power Tools sales representative Ray Stahnke during a home improvement fair at the ACE Hardware in Round Lake.

Meet me at the fair

It was a testosterone heaven at the ACE Hardware store in Round Lake. During its Home Improvement fair, the store featured demonstrations, product representatives and "more power" during the event. Right photo: Dominick Damato, 16, of Lake Villa works on a miniature car with other members of the CARS in Miniature club during the fair.—Photos by Sandy Bressner



Attorneys awarded \$175 million by court

A battle fought in part by two giant Lake County employers has produced a winner: the attorneys.

An unprecedented \$175 million has been awarded to attorneys representing plaintiffs in a class action suit involving retail pharmacies that claimed price fixing against pharmaceutical manufacturers and wholesalers. Judge Charles P. Kocoras of the U.S. District Court for the

Northern Illinois District announced the ruling.

A total of 31 companies were named as defendants including Abbott Laboratories, Glaxo Wellcome Inc., and Warner Lambert. Settlements amounting to \$700 million were agreed to by 19 manufacturers over the last five years.

A broad scope of retail pharmacies participated in the suit, including major chains such as Walgreens and WalMart, as well as small, independently owned drug stores.

More than 60 law firms served as counsel for the plaintiffs, including Chicago-based Much Shelist Freed Denenberg Ament & Rubenstein, P.C., where partner Michael Freed served as co-lead counsel.

Wauconda firm sues Wal-Mart

Imaginair Inc., makers of the AeroBed, announced that it has filed a lawsuit in the U.S. District Court in Chicago against Boyd Flotation Inc., Sleep 2000 Inc. and Wal-Mart Stores Inc. for allegedly violating an Imaginair patent.

The lawsuit involves an air inflatable mattress referred to as the Simmons Beautyrest Express Bed, which is manufactured by Boyd Flotation and sold by Wal-Mart.

In the complaint that was filed, Imaginair has asserted that, due to the valve used in the Express Bed product, the Express Bed infringes a patent under which Imaginair has an exclusive license and infringes on trade dress rights that Imaginair has in that valve.

The complaint also alleges that the packaging for that product includes a phrase that infringes Imaginair's trademark "Bed in a Minute" and alleges other acts of unfair competition.

Imaginair, headquartered in Wauconda, manufactures and markets a number of different products using patented air pump and valve technology, including the AeroBed and Minute Bed.

Imaginair sells its product through catalog and retail stores nationwide and via the Internet.

NIU names finalists for president's post

Six months and more than 100 candidates later, NIU's presidential search committee announced the names of four finalists in the bid to become Northern's 11th chief executive.

Robert L. Hampton is associate provost for academic affairs and dean for undergraduate studies at the University of Maryland, College Park, where he also teaches sociology and family studies. Hampton previously served as dean of the college at Connecticut College in New London.

He also served as secretary of the college, a role in which his responsibilities included work with the board of trustees and the college's capital campaign. Hampton taught sociology at Connecticut for nearly 20 years, moving from assistant to full professor and concentrating his research and publishing on issues of family violence and child welfare.

Barbara Short Haskew is provost and vice president for academic affairs at Middle Tennessee State University, a position she has held for nearly five years. Prior to becoming provost, Haskew had been dean of MTSU's College of Business and chair of that university's Department of Economics and Finance. During her tenure as dean, Haskew also served a one-year term as interim vice president for the MTSU Foundation.

Peter J. Nicholls is dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at Kansas State University, a position he has held for nine years. The college has 23 academic units covering all of the sciences, social sciences, humanities and the visual and performing arts, as well as professional programs in social work and community health. In his current role as dean, Nicholls heads KSU's largest college-based fundraising operation, securing an average of \$6 million in private gifts for the college each year.

Prior to his tenure at KSU, Nicholls taught mathematics at Northern Illinois University for 20 years, moving from assistant to asso-

ciate to full professor. Nicholls also served as associate dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences at Northern for four years (1987-1991), and as acting dean of the college in 1988.

John G. Peters is provost and senior vice chancellor for academic affairs at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, a position he has held for seven years.

In addition, Peters was named UT's interim chancellor in January of

this year. At UT, Peters directs the academic and fundraising activities of 13 deans, and has been personally involved in efforts to secure major endowed pro-

grams and chairs.

Prior to taking the chief academic post at UT, Peters had been dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at University of Nebraska-Lincoln. While at Nebraska, Peters a \$3.5 million endowment for a Judaic Studies program. Peters taught political science at UNL for 20 years, moving from assistant to associate to full professor there, and serving as associate dean (1983-1987) and associate to the chancellor (1987-1988).

"These are outstanding candidates, and we are very proud to forward their names to the Board of Trustees for consideration," said Robert Boey, search committee co-chair. "These committee members have worked diligently for more than six months, and the results we are announcing reflect that dedication, as well as the high regard in which this institution is held nationally," he added.

The Board of Trustees is expected to announce a campus interview schedule soon.

Boey, who also serves on the board, said his fellow trustees want to make sure that candidates are able to meet with a wide representation of the campus community. Those meetings are expected to take place later this month, and the board is expected to choose NIU's next president sometime in March.



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TAYLOR

ment to get started. They take the first step on their own, and every step from that point on becomes less difficult.

Winners value facts over feelings. In the comfort zone, people only do what they feel like doing. Winners set aside their emotional feelings and focus on the facts. When winners don't feel like doing something, they know that action always overcomes feelings.

Winners look up. Psalms 121:1 says, "I will lift up my eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help." Look up. It is hard to get down when you're looking up.

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Winners dare to be different. The reason so many people never climb the ladder of success is because of the crowd at the bottom. They don't want to leave the majority. Winners know that being different is neither good nor bad—just different.

Don Taylor is the co-author of Up Against the Wal-Marts. You may write to him in care of Mind-Your Own Business, PO Box 67, Amarillo, TX 79105.

ON THE MOVE

Linda Fiegen

has been promoted to Account Executive at Amerigraphx Marketing Communications in the Diversified Merchandising Division. Formally a customer service representative specializing in the printing and display production area, Fiegen's responsibilities will now include account management and development at Amerigraphx.



Fiegen

State Bank of the Lakes

is pleased to announce the promotion of **Mary Meyer** to Facility Manager of their Grayslake location at 50 Commerce Drive. In addition to managing the bank staff and overseeing the new accounts department, Mary's role has expanded into the loan area. Anyone with loan inquiries can reach her at 548-2700 ext. 3140.

Meyer has worked in the banking industry for 18 years and her experience and product knowledge is invaluable to her many customers. A lifelong resident of Grayslake, Mary is a member of the Kiwanis Club and the Exchange Club and has been active in the community all her life.

Outboard Marine Corporation had named **Robert Bonev** Vice President of Corporate Marketing.



Meyer

Reporting to David Jones, OMC Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President, Bonev will oversee marketing and advertising for all of OMC's marine engine and powerboat brands. Bonev comes to OMC from Teledyne Continental Motors, in Mobile, Alabama, where he was Vice President of Sales and Marketing. He oversaw a consolidation of the company's distribution channels through the development of E-commerce systems that led to a substantial increase in margins.

Nancy Kaszak, a park lawyer with experience on state government, has been named executive director of CorLands, a 22-year-old nonprofit organization that saves open space throughout the Chicago region for public enjoyment. Ms. Kaszak's real estate expertise includes years of serving as chief legal officer for the Chicago Park District and representing a variety of suburban park districts for Ancel, Glink, Diamond, Cope & Bush, P.C., a Chicago firm that specializes in local government law.

Antioch Tire Incorporated, one of Lake County's fastest growing companies, recently introduced **Nick Martin** as their new Corporate Director of Retail and Wholesale Operations. Tony Lavelle, President of Retail and Wholesale Operations, announced Martin's promotion. Nick Martin joined Antioch Tire in 1997 after serving as the District Manager for Super Shops, Inc., also an automotive repair company.

The Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago has appointed **Richard Sustich** to the position of Assistant Director of Research & Development. Sustich, a resident of Lake Zurich, has worked

for the District since June of 1976, progressing through the ranks of research and development positions to his current title of Assistant Director.

The Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago collects and treats sewage for the five million residents of Cook County.



Sustich

Slack

Barshinger & Partners (SB&P), one of the nation's leading business-to-business marketing communications agencies, announces the addition of **Dennis James**, 44, as Internet solutions director.

James brings over 15 years of Internet development, software training and digital imaging experience to SB&P, where he will be responsible for strategic Web site development and e-business integration for agency clients. James will also oversee the agency's Internet development team.

Learning Resources

has announced the promotion of **Lisa Guili** from Marketing Communications Manager to Vice President-Marketing.



James



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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

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610 Aspen Way, Timothy M & Jill M O Connell, \$269,792
41046 N Third Street, James & Kathy Stevens, \$149,000
25775 W Cook Av, Dominic & Maureen Vecchio, \$304,000
25215 W Hawthorne, Adolph & Sherri Kerby, \$119,000

Fox Lake

7404 Custer Ct #34f, Frank & Almeda Sivak, \$85,000
61 North Lake Av, Timothy M Corey, \$173,540

Gravelake

1132 Cambridge, Jennifer K Wells, \$114,000
1420 Churchill Lane, James & Julie Price, \$212,500
1480 Lancaster Ct, James & Donna M Domino, \$195,500
1560 Portsmouth Ct, William & Robyn Wilkey, \$178,300

Green Oaks

30555 Brookhaven Dr, Jeffrey J & Linda Powell, \$325,318
31005 Prairie Ridge Rd, Charles Hutchins, \$407,520

Gurnee

17829 Braewick, Troy J Devries, \$131,500
5898 Delaware, Andrea C Hickey, \$119,500
4718 Kings Way N, David H Varney Jr & Susan J Varney, \$284,000
4667 Middle Rd, Steven Mckay, \$220,000
37287 N Grandwood Dr, Mush-taq & Shannaz Merchant, \$119,500
1415 Sherwood Court, Paula Waltenberger, \$125,930

917 Vose #301, Robert A Dixon, \$112,500

Hainesville

241 Cranberry Lake Dr, Jozef & Stella B Kuran, \$172,312
164 Holiday Ln, Elson W Imthurn, \$122,727
581 Holiday Ln, Dean C Fairley, \$146,578
585 Holiday Ln, Andrew W Plankovich, \$151,862
606 Holiday Ln, Julia A Jensen, \$116,667

Ingleside

34841 N Elm, Kim Brown, \$125,000
36398 N Tara Ct, Allen J Bessander, \$200,000

Lake Villa

422 Fairfax Dr, Jason A & Marla B Jenks, \$238,524
25146 Newberry, Mark A & Tracey A Vondra, \$144,500
1913 Oaktree Trail, Paul R & Christine A Hartfield, \$174,065
25378 Park Ct, Donald J Kindwald, \$115,000
69 Red Spruce Trail, Lee & Kathleen Pankiewicz, \$213,900
25596 W Lehmann Blvd, Victor R Olsen, \$112,500
36434 Wildwood, Charles R Foy, \$80,000

Libertyville

1318 Kempton Dr, Wayne L Kent, \$289,000
14910 Old Rockland Rd, Victor W & Suzanne Lagrippe, \$228,000
16015 W Buckley, David & Dawn Kilbane, \$162,000
137 West Park Av, Walter Schummer, \$255,000

Lindenhurst

2902 Falling Waters Ln, Ruben Magdasiyev & Inna L Lisovskaya, \$170,895
226 Jasmine Cir, Mahmood & Karensa Saljoogi, \$167,146
536 Sandpiper Dr, Hugh & Catherine Sporer, \$263,422
2304 Valley Dr, Christopher D & Jenny L Bridges, \$137,000

Mundelein

2011 Chadwick Way, Alexandre G Zolotarev & Noselina B Shogan, \$312,625
2211 Chadwick Way, Xuong T & Melissa A Nguyen, \$266,679
413 North Ridgemoor, Abelardo & Modesta Sanchez, \$146,000
1214 Orleans, Ronald Stern, \$146,000
1010 Sandler Ct, Sean T & Joyce C Carroll, \$360,350
423 South Lake Shore Dr, Oscar & Carolina Salazar, \$124,900

Round Lake

24535 Norelius, Robert & Jill M Redfield, \$108,000
274 Spring Valley Way, Myrna Springer & Irene Szatkowski, \$177,271
901 W School Ct, Paul Konieczny & Sandra Vernola, \$190,619
252 Whispering Oaks, Robert J Judice Sr, \$118,347

Round Lake Beach

1242 Fairfield Rd, Andrew J Fonck, \$180,000
1324 Pleasant Dr, Augustin Botello & Sofia Alvarado, \$115,000
963 Saddle Ln, Gary Foley, \$126,000

Round Lake Heights

732 Tomahawk Dr, Raul Tenorio & Herman Lopez, \$82,000

Wadsworth

2883 N Augusta Dr, Marianne Van De Velde, \$170,260

BRIEFS

77th Beauty Show

Paul Dykstra, Chief Executive Officer, Cosmetologist Chicago, announces the 77th Chicago Midwest Beauty Show to be held Saturday, Sunday and Monday, March 4, 5 and 6 at the Rosemont Convention Center, 5555 North River Rd., Rosemont.

The Midwest Beauty Show is a three-day event attended by 60,000 salon professionals from the Midwest who come to check out the latest products and services from over 4000 manufacturers and distributors; to learn the latest trends in their industry from leading educators who conduct workshops and seminars; and to interact with renowned hairdressers from all over the world who came to share their expertise. The show will also feature the Esthetics and Day Spa Area, the Nail Network Center, student and professional hair styling/cutting competitions...finalist for the 2000 and USA/National Cosmetology Association Olympics Teams will be chosen.

For additional information call, 800-648-2505 or visit www.IsNow.com

Cohen Financial secures loans

Michael Baucus, Managing Director of Cohen Financial's Chicago office, has announced that the firm recently secured permanent financing for three industrial facilities located throughout the Chicago suburbs.

The second property, located at 1910 Swanson Court in Gurnee, is a 60,000-square-foot facility resting on 6.0 acres. The lender provided \$1,450,000 with a 10-year loan term and a 17-year amortization scheduled for the borrower. The tenant is LTD Commodities.

The loans were placed through

life insurance companies for which Cohen Financial serves as correspondent. Cohen Financial is a real estate investment banking firm serving users and providers of real estate capital nationwide.

Contribute to disease research

Illinois taxpayers have the opportunity this year to contribute to special research funds for Alzheimer's disease, breast and cervical cancer and prostate cancer by simply filling in the amount to be donated on their 1999 Illinois income tax returns.

Taxpayers can donate \$1 or more to the Alzheimer's disease fund (line 26c of their 1999 IL-1040 state income tax return, or item 12 on the TeleFile worksheet, the breast and cervical cancer fund (line 26e on the IL-1040 form, or item 15 on the Telefile worksheet) or the prostate cancer fund (line 26f on the amount of a refund or increase the amount due. All donations are tax deductible.

Direct contributions also may be made to the Department's funds by sending a check, payable to the Illinois Department of Public Health, to P.O.Box 4263, Springfield 62708. Clearly mark the designated fund on the check.

Investing seminar

The Tranel Financial Group is hosting a seminar, "Investing for all Economic Climates," that will share a common sense, conservative and defensive approach to managing money while encouraging solid growth. The seminar, which is free of charge, will take place at Bellini's Italian Restaurant in Libertyville on Feb. 29 at 6 p.m. To make reservations or for more information call 680-9050.

MEYERS ON MORTGAGES

by Gary S. Meyers



HOW IMMIGRANTS CAN GET THEIR FIRST HOME

This week, provides hints for those for first time home buyers for whom English is not be their primarily language. It can be a real problem.

Recently one of Adriana Camacho's customers paid a \$1,500 bill twice. Camacho, branch manager in Commonwealth United Mortgage's Little Village office primarily deals with Hispanic customers, most of whom are first time home buyers.

The customer in question received a property tax bill, and, because he was unfamiliar with mortgage practices in the United States, did not realize that the taxes were included in his mortgage payment. While that is an unusual example, Camacho often continues a close relationship with her customers, answering questions and giving advice long after the closing. She has experience helping home buyers for whom English is not their first language.

Q. What is the first thing you advise first time home buyers for whom English is a problem?

A. Find a lender who is familiar with your language, or who will work with you to make sure you understand everything. Many times parents bring in their children as translators. If you plan to do this, make sure the youngster is old enough to not only be reliable, but

understand what s/he is told. I recommend at least 15 years old. Make sure you feel comfortable with the loan officer, then do not hesitate to ask questions. Every question is important.

Q. Where can they get information before beginning the search?

A. Agencies funded through the City of Chicago's Housing Department offer pre-purchase counseling classes. In our area, the Spanish Coalition offers them in Spanish, but they are available from other agencies all over the Chicago area. The classes are required for those buying houses under the Illinois Fresh Rates program, but anyone can take them. Fresh Rates offers a second loan to provide money for a down payment to low income families with good credit. Those applying for FHA loans, can qualify for a reduced mortgage insurance premium by taking the classes, which cover much more than just mortgage applications. The curriculum includes information on the responsibilities of home ownership as well. The city also is working on a New Immigrants Initiative through Fannie Mae, a federally funded private company which is the nation's largest source of funds for home mortgages. Fannie Mae targets low and moderate income families.

Reader questions may appear in this column when e-mailed to Gary Meyers at: mreport@aol.com or snail mailed to 450 Skokie Blvd., Suite 400, Northbrook, IL 60062.

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Dual Disorders Anonymous

At 7 p.m. on Monday, February 21, "Dual Disorders Anonymous" meets at Victory Memorial Hospital, 1324 North Sheridan Road, Waukegan. This free support group offers help to people diagnosed with both mental health and chemical dependency problems. For information, call 360-4073.

LAKE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT AND COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER

Crisis counseling available for Lake County residents

The Lake County Health Department and Community Health Center offers walk-in and telephone crisis counseling and referrals for Lake County residents experiencing emotional stress. This is a service of the Co-ordinated Area Treatment Services (CATS) Program at 3002 Grand Avenue, Waukegan. Counselors are available 24 hours a day. For assistance, please call 360-2901. (A TDD, hearing impaired phone line is also available at 360-2905.)

AIDS/HIV support groups offer help

The Lake County Health Department and Community Health Center sponsors ongoing information and support groups in Waukegan for persons who are HIV antibody positive and persons who have been diagnosed as having AIDS. One group meets from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. every Tuesday in the lower level conference room at the Belvidere Medical Building, 2400 Belvidere Rd., Waukegan. The second group meets every Monday from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., also at the Belvidere Medical Building. For more information on these groups, please call 360-6891 or 360-6520.

CONDELL MEDICAL CENTER

Caregivers Support Group

On Tuesday, Feb. 22 — 7 p.m., Caregivers Support Group meets at the Condell Day Center for Intergenerational Care, 700 Garfield Ave., Libertyville. Anyone who may have the responsibility of caring for a disabled older adult or one with dementia such as Alzheimer's is invited. 816-4585.

Widowed Outreach Network

On Sunday, Feb. 27 — 12:30 p.m., Widowed Outreach Network meeting for individuals coping with the loss of a spouse. Through its programs, the group bridges the gap between initial shock and grief to recovery and helps widowed people accept their new roles. 362-2905, ext. 5275.

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HEALTHWATCH

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Home aquariums are proven to benefit health

Relaxation and relief from stressful situations go hand in hand with good health and fitness. This is why your doctor's or dentist's office may have an aquarium.

Now, two doctors at the University of Pennsylvania have proved what many doctors and dentists have known for years: Watching tropical fish in a home aquarium is not only relaxing and a good way to relieve stress, but actually reduces high blood pressure.

Drs. Aaron H. Katcher and Alan M. Beck published the results of their study, "New Perspectives on Our Lives With Common Animals," in the University of Pennsylvania Press.

The many benefits

Not only is a home aquarium enjoyable, entertaining and a good hobby for any family member, it is also a proven benefit to your health. Owning a home aquarium obviously has many positive benefits. Throughout the United States, 10 million aquariums are being enjoyed in homes, offices, restaurants and hotels. Undoubtedly, you have seen at least one and may have wondered, "How do I or my youngsters (kids love tropical fish and easily get involved in the simple maintenance) get started?"

First, you will want to locate a good dealer in your area. If you have a friend who has an aquarium, ask for a reference; otherwise, the phone book lists most tropical-fish retailers.

What to look for

During your visit to a tropical-fish store, you will want to get some idea of aquarium sizes and of the equipment you will need, and look over the selection of the fish, so you can choose the ones you will want to keep.

It is advisable to purchase a book that provides complete instructions on setting up and maintaining an aquarium.

One basic rule to follow, however, is to buy the largest aquarium possible, because the greater the water environment, the less chance there is of water problems.

When determining where to put your new aquarium, several factors should be considered. You will not want to put it in direct sunlight, since this will cause algae to grow on the glass and plastic accessories.

You also will not want to put it on your best carpeting, since, during water changes, it is possible for some water to splash on the floor, and you should be sure to put it on a firm stand, since water is heavy. After you have decided on the aquarium, your first accessory will be a tightly fitting canopy cover equipped with a fluorescent fixture.

Fluorescent fixtures throw off a cool light and will not cause fluctuations in the water temperature.

While on the subject of water temperature, tropical fish require an environment maintained at around 75 F (25 C). You, therefore, will need a good heater and an aquarium thermometer. A recent development in this technology is the liquid-crystal digital thermometer, which affixes to the outside of the aquarium, yet measures most accurately the water temperature.

You also will need a quality filter. Your dealer can give you proper advice, since there are several types of filters and your needs will vary with the size of your aquarium. If you are going to keep a lot of fish, you also will want a separate air pump to add oxygen to the water.

A creative venture

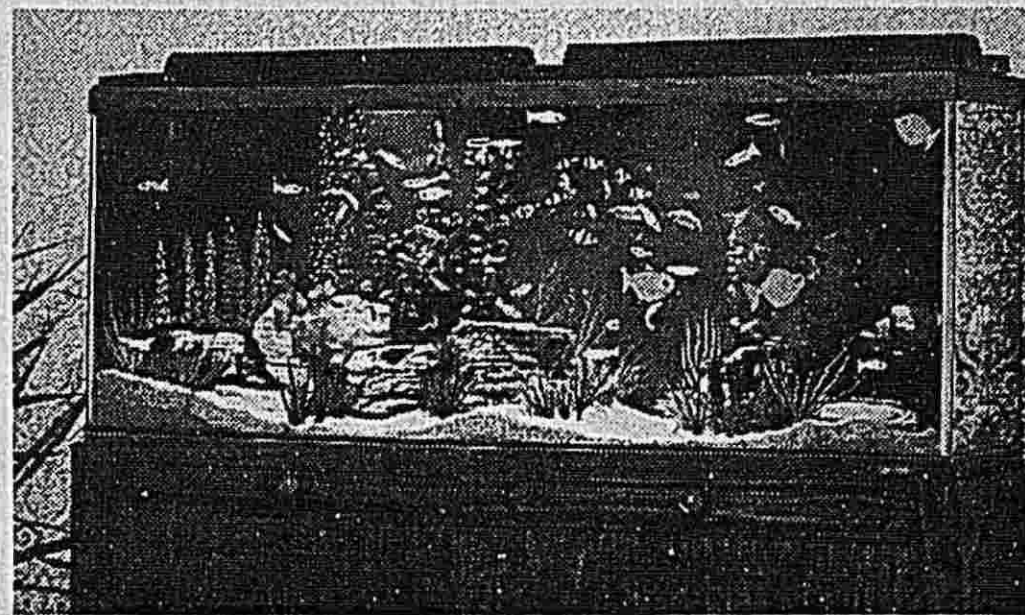
Decorating an aquarium is great fun. There are multicolored gravels, highly decorative backgrounds and hundreds of ornaments, as well as plastic plants so real in reproduction that it's almost impossible to distinguish them from live plants.

Most good retailers will have a complete assortment, and your selection should be based on the size of your aquarium and the amount of money you decide to spend.

Once you have set up your aquarium, you should add a chlorine neutralizer to the water and add only a few fish initially. These few fish will help develop the proper biological conditions necessary to maintain a fully stocked aquarium. After three to four weeks, assuming everything is functioning properly, you then can go ahead and add the rest of your fish.

Easier than you think

Aquarium maintenance is a lot simpler than people think. Every two weeks, a partial water change (not greater than 20 percent), by siphoning the water from the bottom



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of the aquarium, is all that is required. A device called the Hydro Clean allows an efficient siphoning by separating the debris in the gravel and removing it with the water from the aquarium. On a monthly basis, your filter will require minimal maintenance. That's all there is.

Following this simple routine, chances of fish disease or any other aquarium problems are remote. In fact, one of the biggest problems people have is spending too much

time maintaining their aquarium. On a daily basis, of course, fish should be fed; a high-quality flake food will provide a complete diet for almost all fish.

Tropical fish are beautiful — they are easy to maintain and provide a lifetime hobby. For more information, write Tetra/Secondnature, 3001 Commerce St., Blacksburg, VA 24060-6671, for a free full-color starter booklet including information on 30 popular tropical fish.

New diet thinking for a new millennium

Weight Watchers offers tips on getting to the first 10% milestone and beyond

For Americans, losing weight ranks as one of the top new year's resolutions. That's no surprise, since most Americans tend to overindulge during the holidays and gain a few extra pounds. But for those with chronic weight problems, the task of losing weight can seem particularly daunting — and urgent — this time of the year.

With 37 years of experience in weight loss and control, Weight Watchers is familiar with the seasonal patterns of dieters. Weight Watchers also knows that many dieters start the new year with fierce determination that quickly fizzles in just a few weeks. That's why Weight Watchers devotes extra time and effort to helping people overcome the early hurdles of post-holiday dieting.

"It's self-defeating to think that a diet is successful only when you finally attain the ideal weight," said Karen Miller-Kovach, Chief Scientist, Weight Watchers International. "Would you label a new runner a failure if she hasn't completed a marathon? Successful diets, like marathon training, are built on many interim milestones, like starting with a 10% weight loss."

Dieting is successful when it's based on a new way of thinking. Here are tips to help you positively change your perspective.

1. Focus on getting started; don't worry about every detail of a weight loss program.

"Stay focused on the steps immediately before you. Don't be overwhelmed by the weight you feel you must ultimately lose. Remember, just getting started is an important accomplishment."

2. Set your first major goal at losing 10% of your body weight.

"Losing 10% of your weight is a significant goal. Recent medical research indicates that a sustained 10% weight loss reverses the nega-

tive effects of obesity, resulting in lower blood pressure and cholesterol, and a longer and healthier life."

3. don't underestimate the power of an interim 10% weight loss.

A growing number of studies show that with a 10% weight loss you'll feel more vitality — both physically and mentally. And you'll see a difference in your physical appearance that's psychologically boosting."

4. Learn to count your successes.

"Celebrate every pound you've lost as you move toward your weight goal. Don't fret about the weight that you haven't shed. Keeping a positive, balanced perspective is key."

5. Give yourself breathing room — take simple, small steps to improving your lifestyle.

"If you know you need to be eased into a routine, then change your habits gradually. For example, walk an extra five minutes a day, and increase the pace gradually."

6. Dieting is not deprivation: You don't have to give up your favorite foods.

"Rather than going cold turkey, learn to enjoy your favorite foods — just in smaller proportions. Eat two teaspoons of tiramisù, rather than a whole serving!"

7. Even if you lapse in your dieting, don't give up.

"If you succumb to that pile of French fries or that goblet of chocolate mousse, don't despair and give up. Lapses are normal. Knowing you can get back on track is an empowering skill to learn."

To learn more about Weight Watchers, visit www.weightwatchers.com or for information about Weight Watchers meeting locations, call 1-800-651-6000.

Kimberly Needham joins Victory

Kimberly Needham, formerly of Gurnee, has joined the staff of Victory Memorial Hospital as manager of Respiratory Care, EEG and Sleep Lab.

In this position, Needham directs, coordinates and assists her staff in providing quality healthcare to patients at the hospital. She is responsible for the daily operations of her departments as well as for planning and goal setting for their future success.

Currently, Needham is working to expand the hospital's Sleep Lab. Since its opening a little over a year ago, appointments for the sleep lab have steadily increased. The lab is being enlarged to eliminate scheduling backlogs and to allow patients to undergo diagnostic testing and

treatment in a timely fashion.

Needham will also introduce ventilation for newborns and infants at the hospital. In addition, she will continue to update and promote respiratory care services throughout the organization.

Before joining Victory's staff, Needham worked at Evanston Hospital, most recently as day shift supervisor of the Respiratory Care Department.



Needham

Support group offered for widowed

Widowed Outreach Network of Lake County, a group of widowers and widows sponsored by Condell Medical Center, meets on the fourth Sunday of each month at 2 at

the Condell Conference Center, 700 Garfield Avenue, Libertyville. The next meeting will be Sunday, February 27. For more information, please call 362-2900, Ext. 5275.

Contrived environment may not be answer to behavior

Hi Dr. Singer,

My child is 8 years old and I understand that he is a terror in the classroom. My husband and I are wondering if he might just be bored and acting out because of that. Is it wise for us to ask the teacher to change things in the classroom for him. In other words, make it more challenging for him or make it more for his needs? G.Z.

Dear G.Z.,

While I believe that kids should be in the correct academic placement for their abilities, and I think a little bit of extra-work if finished early—would be OK, I am strongly against the idea of changing settings or environments around kids.

Custom making or making special circumstances around a child who is misbehaving, for that misbehavior, is telling that child that the world will change for his or her every need. This is a dangerous concept to teach our kids and will impede their ability to function normally as an adult. I will go so far as to say that I believe that too much of this is going on in our country already and is some of the reason behind the huge growth in overindulged bad behavior we are seeing from kids.

When kids misbehave, we do need to assess the situation, and make sure that we have the appropriate educational placement, limits and expectations set up. We need to do this without the child knowing that we are running circles around him. He needs to feel important, but



PARENT'S PLACE

Dr. Sherri Singer

not overly important or more important than other kids.

If we want to do right by our kids, our entire job as parents and teachers is to train them and have them practice for the adult world they will have to live in everyday. The hard part about this is that we live in an adult world that does not usually change to the every need of every adult in it. We all have needs and we all get bored.

As a matter of fact, most of us find much of the tedious grueling parts of our work boring and sometimes intolerable, but we still need to do them. Even if we love most of our work, there are still jobs to be done that are not fun and not entertaining. We still need to do them. We can do this, because somewhere along the way, we learned how to handle ourselves in school etc. in spite of our boredom. We learned to continue our work in spite of our needs. It was expected that we behaved anyway. It also helped that if we didn't do it, there was usually something worse waiting for us.

I can remember being in 4th grade and getting caught fidgeting with opening a pack of gum and putting a piece in my mouth. We were not allowed to fidget and worse yet, we were not allowed to chew gum in school. How barbaric, huh!?!?

Anyway, the punishment was having to put the gum on my nose and stand in the corner for a half-hour, in front of the rest of the class. After the punishment, guess how many more times I repeated the behavior? You're right! Never again! Back then it was called good limit setting. Good punishment! Memorable punishment. Today it would be called a lawsuit for humiliating the child. When I think about that, it doesn't surprise me about how much misbehavior we have going on in our society by our kids. It makes me sad for them!

The difference I see now is that I rarely see good behavior required from kids regardless of the situation. What I see more often is immediate diagnosing and changing of the circumstances around the child. I see labeling of the child and overblown sympathy for the child because of that diagnosis. I see adults running around the child trying to change everything around the child instead of helping the child learn the self-control required. Instead of training the child how to handle the boredom or how to keep on track anyway, we quickly whisk the child into a new circumstance or recommend medication. This does not always help the child completely. It just prolongs the problem.

All kids get bored sometimes. All kids misbehave when they get bored. This is how they make a boring situation more fun. It's a fact of life. We all did it! It didn't mean we were not in the right setting or not challenged enough. It did not always

mean that we had ADHD. In the program I run, I watch kids everyday learn how to handle their behavior effectively even in the face of monotonous boredom. Not only is it absolutely possible to train kids to attend even when they're bored, I will go as far as saying that it is absolutely imperative for all kids to learn how to do this before age 10. I have seen some of the worst behaving kids come in and learn through correct limit setting and practice, how to do any work they are asked to do.

I don't mean to sound gruff, however, I get very worried for the kids today. I see them being very aware of all the diagnosis names and use them very readily when they don't want to do something or do not want to be held responsible for something. This is so dangerous to their futures I can't even express fully how much.

My thoughts are these: Make sure of their capabilities. Make sure their placement is correct. Make sure you know what you are doing to set the right limits (if unsure, call me and we'll set up a consult.) Make sure to follow through on your limits. Make sure that your child is held responsible for bad behavior al-

ways. Make sure your child does not know about any work you are doing to improve his or her behavior. They should not be able to identify themselves by the "problems" they have. This will become their reason for not being able to do things correctly. They should also not feel that lots of adults are dancing around them to make things easier for them. Bad move when it is done! It puts them in the middle of their own diagnosing and can be used by them later.

If you want your child to behave better in school and school doesn't set the limits you want, call me because I regularly help parents solve school problems with home solutions. Additionally, if you want to assess your child's abilities, I can also help with testing. Let me know. Hope this helps! Good luck!

Dr. Sherri Singer is a Licensed Clinical Psychologist and Childhood Behavior Specialist. She regularly works in person with many readers of this column. She is the author of, "Why Kids Misbehave" and "Raising Kids Who Don't Become Your Worst Nightmare." For an appointment or to purchase either of Dr. Singer's books, please call (847) 577-8832 or (708) 962-2549.

Breast cancer research goes dancing to raise money

This Saturday, Feb. 19, thousands of people will Jazzercise for four hours at 17 different sites throughout Chicago and Illinois in the 8th Annual Jazzercise Marathon for Breast Cancer Research. These sites include two in Chicago, and one in Grayslake, Hodgkins, Joliet, Lansing, Palatine, Peoria, River Grove, Rockford, Villa Park, Westmont and Wheaton.

According to the National Cancer Institute, 45,000 women will die of breast cancer and nearly 185,000 will be diagnosed with the disease this year.

"Breast cancer is the most common cause of death in women between the ages of 40 and 45, and the second most common cause of death in women of all ages," says Dr. Melody Cobleigh of Rush-Presbyterian-St. Luke's Medical Center.

In response to these staggering facts and statistics, International Dance-aerobics Company, Jazzercise, has partnered with Rush-Presbyterian-St. Luke's Medical Center, to raise money for research studies to treat and eventually prevent this disease.

Many of those who participate do so for very personal reasons. Some are battling breast cancer themselves; others are survivors; others have friends and relatives affected by the disease. Whatever the

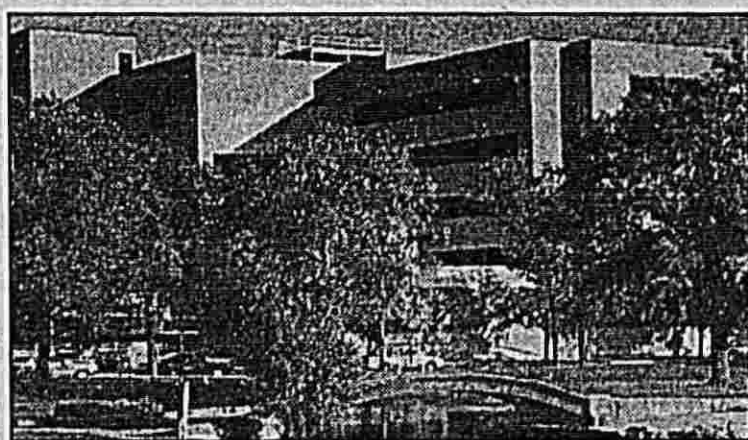
case, the staggering statistics suggest that everyone will know someone affected by the disease. Just ask Bonnie Conne of Lisle, IL. Jazzercise workouts have been a part of Conne's life for over 17 years. She credits them with helping her decompress during some of the most stressful times of her life. "I do it for fitness and mental health," she recently explained. When she signed up for the first Marathon in 1993, she had no idea how involved she'd become. In March of 1994, during self-examination, she found a lump. In June of that same year, Conne underwent a mastectomy. A year later, she found another lump. "I couldn't understand why I was getting this, no one in my family had it," Conne rationalized. After radiation treatments, Conne has been cancer free for three years.

Participants take donations for their participation in this marathon. The money donated benefits the Comprehensive Breast Center at Rush-Presbyterian-St. Luke's Medical Center where physicians are working to improve treatments and find a cure for breast cancer, benefiting women everywhere. Anyone interested in participating in the marathon or who would like to sponsor a "Jazzerciser" may call 1-877-669-5299.

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YOPP

Alvina E. Yopp (nee Derler) age 83 of Mundelein
Arr: Kristan Funeral Home, PC, Mundelein

WULFF

Theresa A. Wulff (nee Straub) age 86 of Lake Zurich
Arr: Lauterburg & Oehler Funeral Home, Arlington Heights

Barbara J. Agnello

Age 63 of Round Lake Beach, died Monday, Feb. 7, 2000 at the Care Center of Wauconda. She was born June 10, 1936 to John F. and Victoria Jean (Gloden) Mello in Santa Cruz, Calif. In 1970 she married Gerald Agnello. Formerly of California, Barbara moved to Chicago in 1958. For the last 15 years, she had been a resident of the Round Lake area. She worked in the restaurant business for many years, first as a waitress and later as a chef. Activities she enjoyed were knitting, canasta, cribbage and gardening.

She is survived by children, Dodie Klem of Round Lake Beach, Tina (Tim) Schimpf of Lakemoor, Jim (Kathy) Hill of Napa, Calif. and John (Lisa) Pometta of Chicago; 12 grandchildren, Terri, Steve and Bill, James, Alex and Ross, Kelly, Ken, Courtney, Darrin, Bryan, and Travis; and three great-grandchildren, Alyssa, Ali and Hunter. She is preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Gerald; a grandson, Jim; and a brother, Jack Mello.

Private services will be held for the family and close friends and neighbors.

Interment will be private.

Memorials to the American Cancer Society would be appreciated by the family.

Arrangements were entrusted to Justen's Round Lake Funeral Home.

Antonio 'Tony' Roman

Age 17 of Round Lake, passed away Monday, Feb. 7, 2000 from injuries received in a snowmobile accident on Pistakee Lake. He was born Oct. 28, 1982 in Chicago the son of Tony and Susan Dexter Roman and has lived in Lake County since 1993. Tony was a former boy scout and graduated from Stanton Grade School. He attended Grant High School where he had played on the football team. Tony loved the outdoors and animals. He had worked part time for the Red Lobster in Gurnee.

Survivors include his mother, Susan Edwards of Round Lake, his father, Tony Roman of Glenview; his maternal grandparents, Robert Dexter of Chicago and Geraldine Palmer of Fox Lake; his paternal grandmother, Maria Castanon in Mexico; a sister, Maria (Jerry) Perez of Ingleside; a brother, Enrique Roman at home and a niece, Jade Sidney Jarosze.

Funeral Services were held at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch with the Rev. Rickey Burgard of the Church of the Nazarene of Fox Lake, officiating.

Interment was at Grant Cemetery, Fox Lake.

Those desiring may make contributions to a family memorial in his memory.

Edward E. Dolinar

Age 75 of Deep Lake and Sanibel, Fla. passed away at home in Florida on Saturday, Feb. 5, 2000. He was born in Waukegan on Dec. 6, 1924, the son of the late, John and Josephine Dolinar. He was a resident of Deep Lake, for the past 36 years. He was a veteran of World War II, serving with the U.S. Army Air Corps.

He is survived by his wife, Jean (nee Hiser). They were united in marriage on Aug. 1, 1956; his sons, Blair (Susan) of Virginia and Bradford of Grayslake; grandchildren, Brian and Katie; sister, Cecilia White of Wisconsin. He is preceded in death by several sisters and brothers.

Funeral Services were held at Ringa Funeral Home, Lake Villa with the Rev. Jeff Marian, officiating.

Interment was at Memory Gardens Cemetery, Arlington Heights.

Bernard 'Bernie' J. Gunty

Age 73 of Bristol, Wis., passed away Friday, Feb. 11, 2000 at the Aurora Medical Center, Kenosha, Wis. He was born May 13, 1926, in Chicago, the son of the late, Edward and Agnes (Kohs) Gunty. He lived in Villa Park, before moving to Bristol, Wis. in 1963. While serving in the U.S. Army during WWII he met and married Lucienne M. L. 'Lucy' Combefils on May 22, 1946, in Belgium, she preceded him in death on June 16, 1994. Bernie had worked for many years for the Arnold May Co. in Richmond as a superintendent of construction. He later owned and operated, with his wife, Bernies' Corner and Delicatessen in Antioch for several years. Bernie was a lover of music and was the leader of the Peptones and Purpletones Bands and played at many functions in the area. He was a member of the Loyal Order of Moose Lodge 525 and the VFW Post 4551 of Antioch; St. Scholastica Church in Bristol, Wis., and a former constable for Bristol Township, Wis.

Survivors include his son, Bernie (Kelly) Gunty of Antioch, and his daughter, Dolores Gunty of North Chicago; one brother, Leonard (Pat) Gunty of Colorado Springs, Colo.; three sisters, Veronica Sheridan of Chicago, Agnes Keeley of Chicago and LaVerne Crilly of Manteno; five grandchildren, Bryan, Eugene, Maria, Eric and Michelle; and his dear friend, Genevieve Firth. In addition to his wife, he is preceded in death by a son, Dale Gunty on Feb. 8, 1994 and three brothers, Edward, Christian and Robert and one sister, Dolores.

Funeral Services with Mass of Christian Burial was held at St. Scholastica Church, Bristol, Wis.

Friends called at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch.

Interment was at the St. Scholastica Church Cemetery, Bristol, Wis.

Sarah L. Boetcher

Age 80 of West Allis, Wis., formerly of Round Lake and Richland Center died on Saturday, Feb. 12, 2000. Sarah was born on Jan. 6, 1920 in Richland Center, the daughter of Lester and Gunda (Hanson) Speidel. She was united in marriage on Oct. 5, 1946 in Richland Center to Bert Otto Boetcher and he preceded her in death on Oct. 27, 1991. She attended Richland Center High School and was very active in the music program. The entire Speidel family was very musically talented.

She is survived by one sister, Margaret Stevens, of

Merced, Calif. and several nieces and nephews. She is also preceded in death by a daughter, Karen Louise Boetcher on Feb. 7, 1964; three brothers, Charles, Clarence, Steven, and one sister, Barbara.

Funeral Services were held at the Pratt Memorial Chapel with burial at the Richland Center Cemetery with Rev. Craig Peach officiating.

Pratt Funeral Service assisted the family with arrangements.

Dorothy G. Giesler

Age 92 of Burlington, Wis., formerly of Antioch and Chicago, passed away Saturday, Feb. 12, 2000 at Memorial Hospital, Burlington, Wis. She was born Nov. 18, 1907 in Cleveland, Ohio, the daughter of the late Rudolph and Daisy (Connely) Shilvoch. She moved to Antioch in 1974 and to Burlington, Wis. recently.

Survivors include her son Raymond (Maria) Giesler of Burlington, Wis., one brother, Ray (Ann) Shilvoch in Florida; her grandson, Michael Giesler of Burlington, Wis. She is preceded in death by her husband, Arthur, her daughter, Valerie Miller; one brother, Archibald Shilvoch and one sister, Alice Trefz.

Services were private with her remains buried at Willow Lawn Cemetery, Mundelein.

Arrangements were entrusted to the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch.

Robert F. 'Bud' Budovec

Age 63 of Loon Lake, Antioch, passed away Thursday, Feb. 10, 2000 at his home of an apparent heart attack. He was born June 26, 1936 in Chicago, the son of the late Joseph I. and Paula (Pokorney) Budovec, moving to Antioch in 1968. Bud graduated from North Riverside High School in Chicago and served in the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve. He had worked as a foreman for the former Rittenhouse and Embree lumber yard in Antioch and later worked in the Jewel-Osco food store and then as a custodian for the Hoffman Estates School District. Bud loved to fish and hunt and do taxidermy work. On May 30, 1958 he married Joan Niwinski in North Riverside and she preceded him in death on March 2, 1985.

Survivors include four daughters, Kimberly Ann (Steve) Hughes and Karen Ramig both of Antioch, Kristy (Scott) Leland and Kathy Kelly both of Gilbert, Ariz.; one son, Kurt (Carol) Budovec of Bristol, Wis.; one brother, Ronald (Joan) Budovec of Oak Brook and one sister, Joanne (Ralph) Coffelt of North Riverside and 10 grandchildren.

Funeral Services were held at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch.

Interment was private.

Those desiring may make memorial contributions to the family.

Jesse E. Talkington

Age 69, passed away on Sunday, Feb. 13, 2000 at Highland Park Hospital, Highland Park. He was a resident of Florida for 40 years where he was the owner of Pro Line Automotive. He was also a member of the Elk's Lodge and the Fraternal Order of Eagles in Florida. Most recently he lived in Round Lake and attended Quentin Road Bible Baptist Church, Lake Zurich. Jesse was a devoted husband, father, and grandfather.

He leaves his wife Joanne whom he wed on Oct. 14, 1960; daughter, Kathi Ann (Don) Volante; son, Michael Edward Talkington; and grand daughter, Victoria Ann Volante. He is preceded in death by his mother, Lilly Talkington and brother, Carl Hutchison.

A Memorial Service was held at Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium, Grayslake.

Interment was private.

Loretta C. Greenhill

Age 81, passed away on Sunday, Feb. 13, 2000 at the Northern Illinois Medical Center, McHenry. She resided for 25 years in Round Lake before moving to Fort Meyers Beach, Fla., where she worked for 25 years as a certified nursing aid caring for the elderly. She was most recently a resident of Fox Lake.

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She leaves her sons, Joseph (Sandra) Greenhill of Cape Coral, Fla., William (Susan) Greenhill of Spring Grove and Kenneth (Sherry) Greenhill of Fort Meyers, Fla.; daughters, June Leber of Round Lake Park, Kay (Ron) Starostovic of Ingleside, and Patricia (William) McKie of Ingleside; 18 grandchildren; 22 great grandchildren; sister (Joan (Larry) Atkins of Trevor, Wis.; many nieces, nephews, and friends too numerous to name. She is preceded in death by her husband, Frank Greenhill on March 18, 1993, parents, Horice and Catherine; two brothers; one sister, one son-in-law, and one daughter-in-law.

Funeral Services were held at Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium, Grayslake with Rev. Lisle J. Kauffman of Calvary Presbyterian Church, Round Lake officiating.

Interment was at Ascension Cemetery, Libertyville.

Robert (Lindy) Earl Lindstrom

Passed away suddenly while on his annual sabbatical to his winter home in Florida on Feb. 13, 2000. Born and raised in Park Ridge, Bob and his family relocated to Wauconda in 1965 and opened Lindy's Landing. Bob (Lindy) was an icon in the community of Wauconda for the past 35 years. He represents an era when Wauconda was a resort community. To this day he continued to maintain and operate the resort he loved so much Lindy's Landing, and continued to be an active member of the community. He was passionate about the needs and causes of the Wauconda Lions Club, Wauconda Lake Management Committee and the Wauconda Fire Department and Paramedics. Bob (Lindy) was known and loved by many. The people who knew him best will always remember the kindness of his words and the integrity of his actions.

He leaves his three daughters, Laurie (Jim) Barth, Cheryl Lindstrom, and Bonnie (Clayton) Shippee; five grandchildren, Brittany, Kellen, Carly, Rachel and Bradley. He is preceded in death by his beloved Dorothy (Louden) Lindstrom, Nancy Zaehler and Dorothy Fromm. He also leaves other family members and very close friends that he dearly loved including Jacqueline Zbikowski, Florence Rogers, Jeffery Zaehler, Kim, Jerry, Beth, and Michael Jenkins, Kevin (Kayte, Kyle, Kerri) Zaehler, Ken and Pat Zaehler, Don and Marilyn Johnson, Donald Smith, Richard and Rose Anderson, Don and Pat Carpenter, Frank Fromm, James Keenan and their families and many others who will never be forgotten.

Funeral Services were held at Messiah Lutheran Church, Wauconda.

Interment was private.

Arrangements were handled by the Kisselburg-Wauconda Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials to the Wauconda Lions Club, P.O. Box 371, Wauconda, IL 60084; Wauconda Fire Dept.-Paramedic Fund, 109 W. Liberty

St., Wauconda, IL 60084; or Bangs Lake Management Committee (Make check to Village of Wauconda) P.O. Box 785, Wauconda, IL, 60084; will be appreciated.

Antoinette (Toni) Shepard

A Memorial Service for Toni Shepard, formerly Rogan, will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 27 at Marriott's Lincolnshire Resort in Lincolnshire.

Mrs. Shepard passed away Saturday, Feb. 12, 2000 at her home in Barrington after a lengthy illness. Born in Cedar Rapids, Iowa on March 11, 1943, Toni, the daughter of Sidney and Hortense Leibold, spent her early years in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. She received a bachelor's degree with honors from the University of Wisconsin, Madison, where she retains a Bascom Hill Society membership. She obtained a Master's Degree from DePaul University in Chicago.

Mrs. Shepard worked as a speech therapist and language pathologist at public schools in Wilmette and Evanston. In 1974 Toni gave birth to her first daughter, Hilary and became a full-time mom for the next 12 years. A second daughter, Amy, was born in 1976. Mrs. Shepard was a highly involved parent at Mundein's Fremont School, giving her time as a Brownie Leader, room mother and volunteer. Toni said her children were the most fulfilling part of her life.

In 1986, Mrs. Shepard returned to work, organizing Mundein High School's 25th anniversary reunion and celebration. She stayed on at MHS working in the Career Resource Center helping students investigate pathways to selected careers. Toni's position expanded in 1989, when she became Mundein High School's first Community Resources director. It was Mrs. Shepard who began the award winning "Ventures in Partnership" (VIP) program for which she received the Illinois State Board Exemplary Partnership Award in 1994 and 1998. Further accomplishments added a Business Education Linkage Award in 1996. Toni was instrumental in creating the Business Commerce Seminar class which allows students to work closely with area executives both in and outside of the classroom. Mrs. Shepard began the Career Day Fair bringing local employers into the high school to facilitate student opportunities. She also initiated and coordinated the Junior/Senior Shadowing Experience



Antoinette (Toni) Shepard

which has allowed hundreds of students to spend a day in the profession learning first hand about a chosen career. Annually, she linked students with: theater set designers, aviation mechanics, television anchors, symphony conductors and cozens of other professionals in order to gain a greater understanding of a desired career.

In 1993, Mrs. Shepard co-chaired Mundein High School's first fine arts festival, Expressions, which since has become a biannual event. The festival brought over 100 artists to the school who held workshops and classes over a two day period. In October, 1993, Mrs. Shepard received the Award of Excellence, the highest honor bestowed by the Illinois State Board of Education in their annual Those Who Excel Education Awards Program. Former Superintendent, Linda Hansen said, "Toni Shepard has made an extraordinary difference for students at Mundein High School. At one time or another, she has touched the life of every student through the exciting opportunities she has created. She has built programs for students that involve them in meaningful, authentic experiences that guide them in career and life decisions."

Mrs. Shepard was a member of many professional organizations including: the National Association of Partners in Education, The Illinois Business-Education Partnership Program, The Lake County Business and Industry Education consortium, The Regional Superintendent's Strategic Planning Action Committee and the Omni Youth Services Board. She shared her expertise through numerous presentations at local, state and national conferences on partnership programs identifying how schools can involve the community in education.

Toni was a vibrant, thoughtful person with the warmest of hearts. She said she found her work very fulfilling because it allowed her to help people. Toni took the most pleasure in family gatherings, traveling browsing art and antique fairs, and sharing with her husband the sanctuary of their beautiful home, magical garden and deck. She was an incredibly valiant woman throughout her life and finally in her struggle with ovarian cancer. Toni will be eternally loved and missed by the numerous hearts she has touched in her short, but meaningful life.

Mrs. Shepard is survived by her loving husband, Jim, beloved daughters, Hilary and Amy, dear son, Jason, and devoted sisters, Patricia Dooling of Barrington and Hilary Brendemuhl of Littleton, Colo.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the: National Ovarian Cancer Coalition: Research 500 NE Spanish River Boulevard, Suite 14, Boca Raton, Fla. 33431.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC QUESTION(S)

Notice is hereby given that at the March 21st, 2000 General Primary, the following public question(s) will be submitted to the voters of the following names political subdivision(s). The polling places will be open from 6 a.m. until 7 p.m. on that day.

The following proposition(s) will be submitted to the voters of: Grant High School District #124

Shall the Board of Education of Grant Community High School District Number 124, Lake County, Illinois, build and equip additions to and alter, repair, remodel and renovate the Grant Community High School Building and issue the bonds of said School District to the amount of \$13,900,000 for said purpose?

0200C-3171-FL
February 18, 2000

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC QUESTION(S)

Notice is hereby given that at the March 21st, 2000 General Primary, the following public question(s) will be submitted to the voters of the following names political subdivision(s). The polling places will be open from 6 a.m. until 7 p.m. on that day.

The following proposition(s) will be submitted to the voters of: Round Lake Community Unit School District #116

Shall the maximum annual tax rate for the educational fund of the Round Lake Area Schools, Community Unit School District Number 116, Lake County, Illinois, be increased and established at 3.69 percent on the equalized assessed value of taxable property instead of 3.24 percent the maximum rate otherwise applicable to the next taxes to be extended?

0200C-3172-RL
February 18, 2000

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC QUESTION(S)

Notice is hereby given that at the March 21st, 2000 General Primary, the following public question(s) will be submitted to the voters of the following names political subdivision(s). The polling places will be open from 6 a.m. until 7 p.m. on that day.

The following proposition(s) will be submitted to the voters of: Grandwood Park District

Shall the Grandwood Park District, Lake County, Illinois, be authorized to levy and collect an additional tax of not to exceed .25% for all corporate purposes as provided in Section 5-3 of "the Park District Code"?

0200C-3174-GP
February 18, 2000

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC QUESTION(S)

Notice is hereby given that at the March 21st, 2000 General Primary, the following public question(s) will be submitted to the voters of the following names political subdivision(s). The polling places will be open from 6 a.m. until 7 p.m. on that day.

The following proposition(s) will be submitted to the voters of: Round Lake Community Unit #116

Shall the Board of Education of Community Unit School District Number 116, Lake County, Illinois build and equip additions to its existing Round Lake Senior High School, Early Education Center and Indian Hill School, improve the sites of, and remodel, equip, alter and repair, the existing school buildings of said School District, and to pay the cost thereof, issue bonds of said School District to the amount of fourteen million five hundred thousand dollars (\$14,500,000)?

0200C-3173-RL
February 18, 2000

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on February 26, 2000 at 9 a.m. a sale will be held at 10705 Main Street, Richmond, IL 60071 to sell the following articles to enforce a lien existing under the laws of the State of Illinois against such articles for labor, service, skill or material extended upon a storage furnished for such articles at the request of the following designated persons, unless such articles are redeemed within thirty days of the publication of this notice.

Owner - Tracy Hager
Vehicle - 1991 Saturn Coupe
Vin# - 1G8Z147XMZ112779
Amount owed - \$1982.07
Owner - Kenneth Miller and Consumer Portfolio Services Inc.
Vehicle - 1989 Ford F-150
Vin# - 1FTEF14N8KLB38841
Amount owed - \$1,984.09

0200B-3155-FL

February 11, 2000

February 18, 2000

February 25, 2000

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON MARCH 13TH OF 2000, A SALE WILL BE HELD AT MIKE'S TOWING, INC. 908 N. RAND RD. WAUCONDA, IL 60084, TO SELL THE FOLLOWING ARTICLE(S) TO ENFORCE A LIEN EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS AGAINST SUCH ARTICLE(S) FOR LABOR, SERVICES, SKILL OR MATERIAL EXPENDED UPON STORAGE FURNISHED FOR SUCH ARTICLE(S) AT THE REQUEST OF THE FOLLOWING DESIGNATED PERSON(S), UNLESS SUCH ARTICLE(S) ARE REDEEMED WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS OF THE PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

JASON BENJAMIN/GARDEN CORNER
1988 FORD F350 SUPER DUTY
STAKEBED VIN#2FDLF47M4JCA32
063 IL LIC#6293F
THE AMOUNT OF LIEN IS \$2739.76
AS OF MARCH 13, 2000
AS PUBLISHED IN THE LAKELAND NEWSPAPER.

0200B-3151-WL

February 11, 2000

February 18, 2000

February 25, 2000

PUBLIC NOTICE

LAKE VILLA TOWNSHIP

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the Township Office, 37908 N. Fairfield Rd., Lake Villa, IL 60046 until 1 p.m. on Tuesday, March 21, 2000 for Construction of a Park Shelter.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on the forms issued with the drawings and specifications furnished by Lake Villa Township. Bids should be returned in sealed envelopes indicating the bidder's name and endorsed "Proposal for Shelter C Construction". Bids shall be addressed to Sue Hanson, Supervisor Lake Villa Township, 37908 Fairfield Rd., Lake Villa, IL 60046. Bid award April 11, 2000. Further information regarding bidding may be obtained by contacting the Supervisor at (847) 356-2116. The Township, in accordance with the laws of the State of Illinois, hereby notifies bidders that it will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the grounds of race, color, or natural origin.

By order of Sue Hanson
Township Supervisor
Lake Villa Township
0200C-3162-GEN
February 18, 2000

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION)
OF MARY KELLER,) No.:
FOR CHANGE OF NAME)

PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE

Public notice is hereby given on March 13, 2000, being one of the return days in the Circuit Court of the County of Lake, I will file my Petition in said Court praying for the change of my name from MARY KELLER, to that of MARY MCCARTHY, pursuant to the Statute in such case made and Provided.

Dated at Vernon Hills, Illinois, _____, 2000.
MARY KELLER

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION)
OF JENNIFER KELLER,) No.:
FOR CHANGE OF NAME)

PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE

Public notice is hereby given on March 13, 2000, being one of the return days in the Circuit Court of the County of Lake, I will file my Petition in said Court praying for the change of my name from JENNIFER KELLER, to that of JENNIFER MCCARTHY, pursuant to the Statute in such case made and Provided.

Dated at Vernon Hills, Illinois, _____, 2000.
JENNIFER KELLER

This Document was Prepared By:
Robert Thomas
Attorney for Petitioner
1655 North Arlington Heights Road
Suite 300 West
Arlington Heights, Illinois 60004
(847) 392-5893
Attorney No.: 6189174

0200A-3132-LB
February 4, 2000
February 11, 2000
February 18, 2000

Received: January 31, 2000
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0200B-3149-LB
February 11, 2000
February 18, 2000
February 25, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
BID REQUEST**

Sealed bids will be received in the office of the Village Clerk, 301 S. Route 59, Fox Lake, Illinois 60020 until 10 a.m. on February 22, 2000. For 2000 Pumper-Tanker/Body, Pump, and Equipment.

Specifications may be picked up at the Village of Fox Lake Maintenance Garage, 216 Washington Street, Ingleside, Illinois 60041.

Mark the Sealed Envelope "Bid For 2000 Pumper-Tanker/Body, Pump, and Equipment".

Bids will be open on February 22, 2000, at 10 a.m. in the Council Chambers of the Fox Lake Village Hall.

The Right is reserved by the Village of Fox Lake to reject any or all bids.

0200B-3154-GEN
February 11, 2000
February 18, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: Metal Magic
NATURE/PURPOSE: Automotive Detail & Spot Repair
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 36485 Westmoor, Lake Villa, IL 60046
NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Michael W. Arnos, 36461 N. Hawthorne, Ingleside, IL 60041, (847) 587-7166.
James C. Henriksen, 36485 Westmoor, Lake Villa, IL 60046, (847) 546-2253.

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Michael W. Arnos, February 1, 2000

/s/ James C. Henriksen, February 1, 2000

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 1st day of February, 2000.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Barbara Erskin
Notary Public
Received: February 1, 2000
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0200B-3145-LV
February 11, 2000
February 18, 2000
February 25, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC QUESTION(S)**

Notice is hereby given that at the March 21st, 2000 General Primary, the following public question(s) will be submitted to the voters of the following names political subdivision(s). The polling places will be open from 6 a.m. until 7 p.m. on that day.

The following proposition(s) will be submitted to the voters of: McHenry Community High School District #156
Shall the Board of Education of Community High School District Number 156, McHenry and Lake Counties, Illinois be authorized to acquire a new high school site and build and equip new high school facilities for the District thereon and improve the site thereof and alter, repair, renovate and build and equip additions to the West Campus facilities, and issue bonds of the District therefor to the sum of \$59,900,000?

0200C-3176-AN
February 18, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: Field of Dreams Landscaping
NATURE/PURPOSE: Brick Paving Landscaping, Lawn Maintenance
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 599 Glenview Ave., Highland Park, IL 60035, (847) 681-9460
NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Nicola H. Presutt, 599 Glenview Ave., Highland Park, IL 60035.

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Nicola Presutt, February 15, 2000

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 15th day of February, 2000.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Adriana Lomeli
Notary Public
Received: February 15, 2000
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0200C-3177-LB
February 18, 2000
February 25, 2000
March 3, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC QUESTION(S)**

Notice is hereby given that at the March 21st, 2000 General Primary, the following public question(s) will be submitted to the voters of the following names political subdivision(s). The polling places will be open from 6 a.m. until 7 p.m. on that day.

The following proposition(s) will be submitted to the voters of: McHenry County College District #528
Shall the maximum annual tax rate for educational purposes of McHenry County College (Community College District No. 528), Counties of McHenry, Kane, Lake and Boone, State of Illinois, be increased and established at .27 percent on the full, fair cash value of taxable property as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue instead of .22 percent, the maximum rate otherwise applicable to the next taxes to be extended for said purposes?

0200C-3175-AN
February 18, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: RSA Distribution
NATURE/PURPOSE: Wholesale distributors of sunglasses, vitamins, & weight/on products
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 5115 Red Pine Ave., Gurnee, IL 60031, (847) 782-9010.
NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Ronald Elmer Spaulding, 5115 Red Pine Ave., Gurnee, IL 60031, (847) 782-9010.
Diana Amelia Spaulding, 5115 Red Pine Ave., Gurnee, IL 60031, (847) 782-9010.

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Ronald Elmer Spaulding, February 4, 2000

/s/ Diana Amelia Spaulding, February 4, 2000

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 4th day of February, 2000.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Dana Kraph
Notary Public
Received: February 4, 2000
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0200C-3164-GP
February 18, 2000
February 25, 2000
March 3, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: Strictly Commercial Building Maintenance
NATURE/PURPOSE: Building Maintenance & Repairs
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 15081 Wadsworth Rd., Wadsworth, IL 60083, (847) 625-0700 (physical).
3567-B Grand Ave #109, Gurnee, IL 60031-4607, (847) 625-0700 (mailing).

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Scott R. Witte, 15081 Wadsworth Rd., Wadsworth, IL 60083, (847) 625-0700.
Lisa D. Witte, 15081 Wadsworth Rd., Wadsworth, IL 60083, (847) 625-0700.
Frank Kuehner, 95 Split Oak Rd., Naperville, IL (630) 961-2976.

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Scott R. Witte, February 7, 2000

/s/ Lisa D. Witte, February 7, 2000

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 7th day of February, 2000.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Nick Liogas
Notary Public
Received: February 7, 2000
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0200B-3157-GP
February 11, 2000
February 18, 2000
February 25, 2000

PUBLIC NOTICE

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS
IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION)
OF TYLER DAVID BUSCH,)
FOR CHANGE OF NAME)

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Public notice is hereby given on March 31, 2000, being one of the return days in the Circuit Court of the County of Lake, I will file my Petition in said Court praying for the change of my name from Tyler David Busch to that of Tyler Robert Turnbull, pursuant to the Statute in such case made and Provided.

Dated at Lake County, Illinois, February 18, 2000.
/s/ Chris Turnbull
0200C-3165-WL
February 18, 2000
February 25, 2000
March 3, 2000

PUBLIC NOTICE

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS
IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION)
OF JOSHUA RANDALL, JORDAN ALEXANDER,)
JONATHAN MATTHEW ROBERTS,) No.:
FOR CHANGE OF NAME)

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Public notice is hereby given on March 10, 2000, being one of the return days in the Circuit Court of the County of Lake, I will file my Petition in said Court praying for the change of my name from JOSHUA RANDALL, JORDAN ALEXANDER, JONATHAN MATTHEW ROBERTS, to that of JOSHUA RANDALL, JORDAN ALEXANDER, JONATHAN MATTHEW HARRIS pursuant to the Statute in such case made and Provided.

Dated at Lake Villa, Illinois, January 31, 2000.
/s/ Dawn Roberts - Harris
0200A-3139-LV
February 4, 2000
February 11, 2000
February 18, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF INTENTION OF
SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER 56
LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS
TO ISSUE \$1,300,000
WORKING CASH FUND BONDS**

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that on the 24th day of August, 1999, the Board of Education of School District Number 56, Lake County, Illinois, adopted a resolution declaring its intention and determination to issue bonds in the aggregate amount of \$1,300,000 for the purpose of increasing the Working Cash Fund of said School District, and it is the intention of said Board of Education to avail of the provisions of Article 20 of the School Code of the State of Illinois, and all laws amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, and to issue said bonds for the purpose of increasing said Working Cash Fund. Said Working Cash Fund is to be maintained, administered and operated in accordance with the provisions of said Article and shall be used for the purpose of enabling said School district to have in its treasury at all time sufficient money to meet demands thereon for ordinary and necessary expenditures for corporate purposes. Said Working Cash Fund is to be used to provide moneys with which to meet ordinary and necessary disbursements for salaries and other school purposes in anticipation of the collection of taxes lawfully levied for any and all purposes and said Working Cash Fund is to be reimbursed to the extent of funds so advanced when such taxes shall have been collected.

A petition may be filed with the Secretary of the Board of Education of School District Number 56, Lake County, Illinois, within thirty (30) days after the date of publication of this notice, signed by not less than 871 voters of said School District, being equal to not less than ten percent (10%) of the registered voters of said School District, requesting that the proposition to issue said bonds as authorized by the provisions of said Article 20 be submitted to the voters of said School District. If such petition is filed with the Secretary of said Board of Education within thirty (30) days after the date of publication of this notice, an election on the proposition to issue said bonds shall be held on the 7th day of November, 2000. The Circuit Court may declare that an emergency referendum should be held prior to said election date pursuant to the provisions of Section 2A-1.4 of the Election Code of the State of Illinois, as amended. If no such petition is filed within said thirty (30) day period, then said School District shall thereafter be authorized to issue said bonds for the purpose hereinabove provided.

By order of the Board of Education of School District Number 56, Lake County, Illinois.

DATED this 24th day of August, 1999.

Gaylord Strahan
Secretary, Board of Education
School District Number 56,
Lake County, Illinois

Helen Scott
Secretary, Board of Education
School District Number 56,
Lake County, Illinois

0200C-3166-GP
February 18, 1999

**PUBLIC NOTICE
LAKE COUNTY ZONING NOTICE #3102
LAKE VILLA TOWNSHIP**

The Lake County Zoning Board of Appeals has scheduled a public hearing on Tuesday, March 14, 2000 at 1:30 p.m. in the Seminar Room on the sixth floor of the Lake County Administration Building, 18 N. County St., Waukegan, IL, on the administrative appeal of David A. Fales, Joan E. Fales, Fred and Nan Herdrich and Robert and Gail Glueckert which seeks to reverse the decision of the Lake County Zoning Administrator that the current use of certain property (PIN #01-36-400-001) is a legal non-conforming use.

The property subject to this appeal is located at 25365 W. Columbia Bay Dr., Lake Villa, IL and is legally described as follows:

PARCEL 1: That part of the South East quarter of Section 36, Township 46 North, Range 9, East of the 3rd P.M., described as follows: Commencing at a point on margin of Fox Lake at high water 226.592 feet by said margin in a straight line South Easterly from a point in said margin at high water 2 rods South of the South Line of South West quarter of the North East quarter of Section 36, Township 46 North, Range 9, East of the 3rd P.M., thence running North Westerly along margin of said lake at high water to said last named point; thence East on a line parallel with said South line of said quarter Section, 18 rods; thence South Easterly along a line parallel with a straight line drawn through said 2 points on the lake 185.342 feet and thence Westerly to the place of beginning, (except the triangular piece or parcel of land described as follows: Commencing at the South East corner of the piece or parcel of land conveyed by Julius Cook and wife to John C. Spengler, by Deed dated December 2, 1890 and recorded March 10, 1891, in Book 81 of Deeds, on page 361, as Document 44584, hereinafter called for sake of brevity the "Spengler Tract", thence South Westerly along the South line of said Spengler Tract a distance of 25 feet; thence North Westerly in a straight line to the center of the East line of said Spengler Tract; thence South Easterly along the East line of said Spengler Tract to the point of beginning).

PARCEL 2: The triangular piece or parcel of land described as follows: Commencing at the North East corner of the piece or parcel of land conveyed by Julius Cook and wife to John C. Spengler by Deed dated December 2, 1890 and recorded as Document 44584 hereinafter called the Spengler Tract; thence due East a distance of 25 feet, thence South Easterly in a straight line to center of East line of said Spengler Tract, thence North Westerly along East line of said Spengler Tract to the place of beginning.

This administrative appeal is available for public examination at the office of the Lake County Zoning Board of Appeals, 18 N. County St., Waukegan, IL (847) 360-6465.

Gloria Helke
Chairperson
0200C-3167-LV
February 18, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
PLANNING AND ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
FOX LAKE, ILLINOIS**

Public Notice is hereby given pursuant to a Petition on file in the Village Clerk's office of the Village of Fox Lake, that a public hearing will be held on March 8, 2000 at 7:30 p.m. in the Village Hall, Fox Lake, Illinois, to hear the Petition of George Martinez, renter of the following described real estate to-wit:

PARCEL 1: THAT PART OF THE EAST HALF OF THE SOUTHEAST FRACTIONAL QUARTER OF SECTION 9, TOWNSHIP 45 NORTH, RANGE 9, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT A POINT ON THE WEST LINE OF SAID EAST HALF OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER, 494.7 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTHWEST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE EASTERLY WITH A SOUTHEASTERLY ANGLE OF 78 DEGREES 16 MINUTES FROM SAID WEST LINE, 210.0 FEET TO A POINT ON THE EASTERLY LINE OF U.S. HIGHWAY NO. 12; THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY ON SAID EASTERLY LINE OF ROUTE 12, A CHORD DISTANCE OF 305.18 FEET; THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY ON SAID EASTERLY LINE OF ROUTE 12, 300.0 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF PREMISES CONVEYED BY SAYLES TO NORDSTROM BY DEED RECORDED IN BOOK 1187 OF DEEDS, PAGE 623, AS DOCUMENT 796832, AND THE PLACE OF BEGINNING UP THE PREMISES INTENDED TO BE DESCRIBED; THENCE NORTHEASTERLY ALONG THE SOUTHERLY LINE OF SAID PREMISES CONVEYED BY DOCUMENT 746832, 200 FEET; THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY PARALLEL WITH THE EASTERLY LINE OF ROUTE 12, 375.0 FEET THENCE SOUTHWESTERLY 200 FEET TO A POINT ON THE EASTERLY LINE OF ROUTE 12, SAID POINT BEING 175 FEET SOUTHEASTERLY FROM THE PLACE OF BEGINNING; THENCE NORTHWESTERLY ALONG SAID EASTERLY LINE OF ROUTE 12, TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING, IN LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

PARCEL 2: THAT PART OF THE EAST HALF OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 9, TOWNSHIP 45 NORTH, RANGE 9, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT A POINT ON THE WEST LINE OF SAID EAST HALF OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER, 494.7 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTHWEST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE EASTERLY WITH A SOUTHEASTERLY ANGLE OF 78 DEGREES 16 MINUTES FROM SAID WEST LINE, 210.0 FEET TO A POINT ON THE EASTERLY LINE OF U.S. HIGHWAY NO. 12; THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY ON SAID EASTERLY LINE OF ROUTE 12, A CHORD DISTANCE OF 305.8 FEET; THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY ON SAID EASTERLY LINE OF ROUTE 12, 300.0 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF PROPERTY CONVEYED BY SAYLES TO NORDSTROM BY DEED RECORDED IN BOOK 1187 OF DEEDS, PAGE 623, AS DOCUMENT 796832; THENCE NORTHEASTERLY ALONG THE SOUTHERLY OF SAID REAL ESTATE CONVEYED BY DOCUMENT 796832, 200.0 FEET; THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY PARALLEL WITH THE EASTERLY LINE OF ROUTE 12, 13.0 FEET FOR THE PLACE OF BEGINNING OF THE PREMISES INTENDED TO BE DESCRIBED; THENCE NORTHEASTERLY 50.01 FEET TO A POINT 162.89 FEET NORTHWESTERLY FROM THE MOST NORTHERLY CORNER OF LOT 14 IN WATTS RESUBDIVISION OF FOX LAKE MANOR FIRST ADDITION; THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY 162.89 FEET TO THE MOST NORTHERLY CORNER OF SAID LOT 14; THENCE SOUTHWESTERLY ALONG THE NORTHWESTERLY LINE OF SAID LOT 14, 50.0 FEET; THENCE NORTHWESTERLY 162.0 FEET TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING IN LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Location of property is: South of Sayton Road on East side of Route 12
The common address is 89 S. Route 12
Petitioner is requesting the following: Special Use to sell and repair boats
Said Petition is available for examination in the Village Clerk's office at the Village Hall in Fox Lake, Illinois

All interested persons are invited to attend said hearing and be heard.

Respectfully submitted,
Ron Stochl, Chairman
Fox Lake Zoning Board of Appeals
Dated at Fox Lake, Illinois
This 14th day of February, 2000
0200C-3169-FL
February 18, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: Curiosity Shop
NATURE/PURPOSE: Resale
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 1431 Golf Rd, Waukegan, IL 60087, (847) 625-8870.
1338 Hickory, Waukegan, IL 60085, (847) 623-8624.
NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Robert J. Loper, 1338 Hickory, Waukegan, IL, 623-8624.
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Robert J. Loper

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 26th day of January, 2000.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Barbara Erskin
Notary Public

Received: January 26, 2000

Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0200B-3146-GP
February 11, 2000
February 18, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: Laser Aesthetics
NATURE/PURPOSE: Minor cosmetic surgery performed with laser on injections
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 185 Milwaukee, Suite 220, Lincolnshire 60069, (847) 821-9400. (physical)
Eric Meyer, 4 Leeds Ct., Lake Forest, IL 60045 (847) 821-9400. (mailing)
NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Eric T. Meyer, 4 Leeds Ct., Lincolnshire, IL 60045 (847) 234-7896.

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Eric T. Meyer, February 8, 2000

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 8th day of February, 2000.

Received: February 9, 2000

Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0200C-3163-LB
February 18, 2000
February 25, 2000
March 3, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: Brooms N Things
NATURE/PURPOSE: Handcrafts
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 995 Main, Antioch, IL 60002, (847) 395-6121. (physical)
PO Box 331, Antioch, IL 60002, (847) 395-6121. (mailing)
NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Emerson R. Sander, PO Box 331, Antioch, IL 60002 (847) 395-6121.
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Emerson R. Sander, February 3, 2000

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 3rd day of February, 2000.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Frances Mary Marshall
Notary Public

Received: February 4, 2000
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0200C-3160-AN
February 18, 2000
February 25, 2000
March 3, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
PLANNING AND ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
FOX LAKE, ILLINOIS**

Public notice is hereby given pursuant to a Petition on file in the Village Clerk's office of the Village of Fox Lake, that a public hearing will be held on March 8, 2000 at 7:30 p.m. in the Village Hall, Fox Lake, Illinois, to hear the Petition of Fox Lake County Club Partnership, owner of the following described real estate to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 29, (except the North 20 acres thereof; Also excepting therefrom those highways established over said premises and which were excepted from the conveyances made by Deeds, one from Henry L. Cowlin, Special Master in chancery of the Circuit Court, of McHenry County, Illinois, to John B. Gallagher, Receiver of Chicago Joint Stock Land Bank, dated May 7, 1938 and recorded May 26, 1938 in Book 231 of Deeds, page 585, and the other from Roy A. Nelson, Receiver of Chicago Joint Stock Land Bank, to Paul E. Surta and Rose Surta, his wife, dated January 19, 1940 and recorded March 28, 1940 in Book 242 of Deeds, page 383), in Township 46 North, Range 9 East of the Third Principal Meridian, in McHenry County, Illinois.

Location of property is: The driving range on the West side of State Park Road, North of Grass Lake Road

The Common address is: (Unknown) PIN 05-29-476-002

Petitioner is requesting the following: Rezoning of 16.5379 acres to R4 for a one hundred and sixteen (116) unit attached single family development. A height variance on the remaining B3 three (3) acres of sixteen (16') feet for a commercial development.

Said Petition is available for examination in the Village Clerk's office at the Village Hall in Fox Lake, Illinois

All interested persons are invited to attend said hearing and be heard.

Respectfully submitted,
Ron Stochl, Chairman
Fox Lake Zoning Board of Appeals
Dated at Fox Lake, Illinois
This 9th day of February, 2000
0200C-3159-FL
February 18, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
LAKE VILLA VOLUNTEER
FIRE DEPARTMENT
Statement of Cash Receipts
and
Disbursements**

GENERAL FUND

May 1, 1998 to April 30, 1999

CASH RECEIPTS

Cash on hand May 1, 1998, \$1,651.23;
Contract - Lake Villa Fire Protection District, \$274,030.00;
Other Income, \$5,770.71.
Total Cash on Hand at beginning of year and Cash Received during fiscal year, \$281,451.94.

CASH DISBURSEMENTS

Administrative, \$13,532.98;
Building, \$65,943.77;
Fire Equipment, \$28,999.42; Insurance, \$30,399.81;
Personnel, \$47,406.36;
Radio, \$367.41;
Utilities, \$14,886.42.
Total Cash Disbursements, \$201,536.17.
Balance on Hand April 30, 1999, \$79,915.77.

I, Brock Millsop, Treasurer of Lake Villa Volunteer Fire Department, do hereby solemnly swear that the above report contains a full and true statement of all moneys belonging to the General Fund of Lake Villa Volunteer Fire Department, received by us, and disbursed by us on account thereof during the period May 1, 1998 to April 30, 1999 inclusive, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Brock Millsop, treasurer

0200C-3158-LV
February 18, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: r-Camations
NATURE/PURPOSE: Computer Sales, Repair, Networking, Computer Animations & Web Design
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 33423 Mill Rd, Wildwood, IL 60030, (847) 548-7366.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Jim R. Schrader, 33423 Mill Rd., Wildwood, IL 60030, (847) 548-7366.
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Jim R. Schrader, January 31, 2000

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 31st day of January, 2000.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Barbara Erskin
Notary Public

Received: January 31, 2000
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0200B-3147-GL
February 11, 2000
February 18, 2000
February 25, 2000

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: A Little Bite of Heaven, Candy Creations and Gifts
NATURE/PURPOSE: Retail Gift Baskets, Candy Arrangements, Gifts
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 82 Elm Avenue, Fox Lake, IL 60020, (847) 973-0581.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Nancy K. Wagner, 82 Elm Avenue, Fox Lake, IL 60020.
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Nancy K. Wagner, January 24, 2000

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 24th day of January, 2000.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Lynn Helma
Notary Public

Received: January 28, 2000
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
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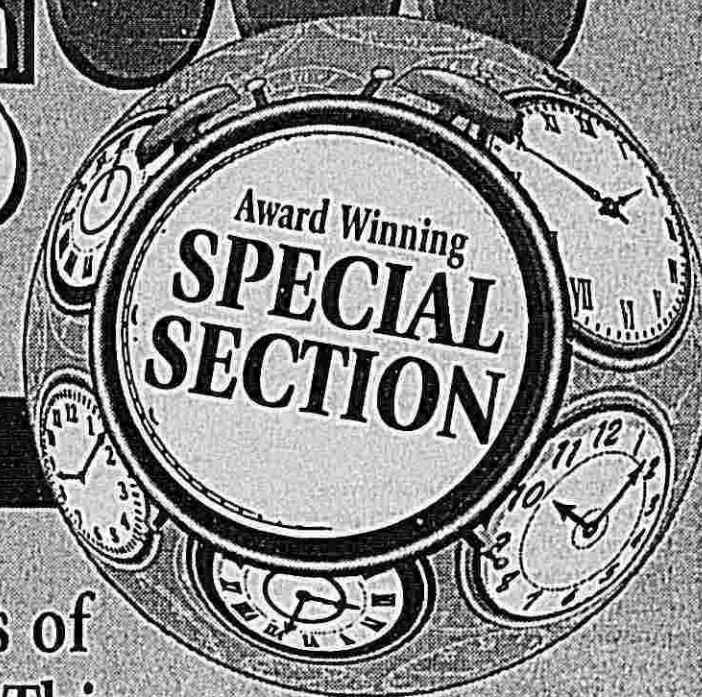
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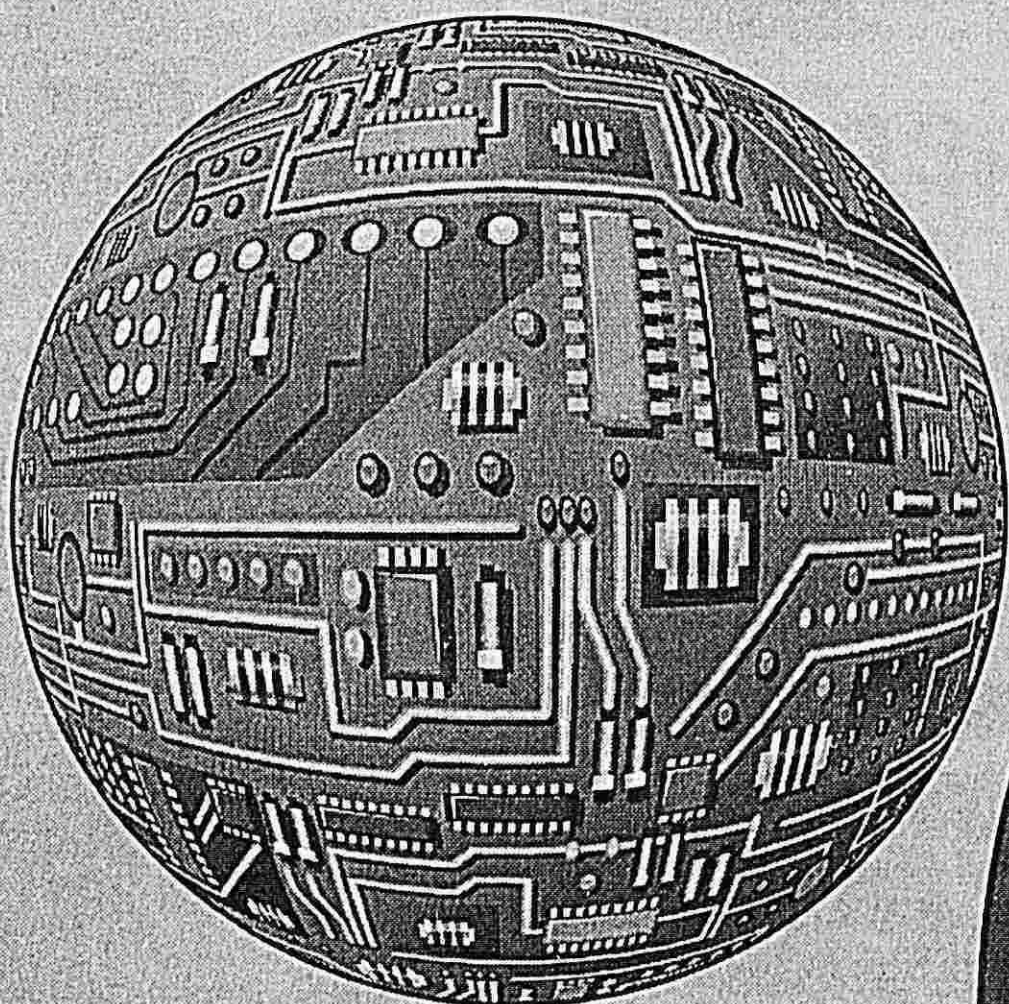
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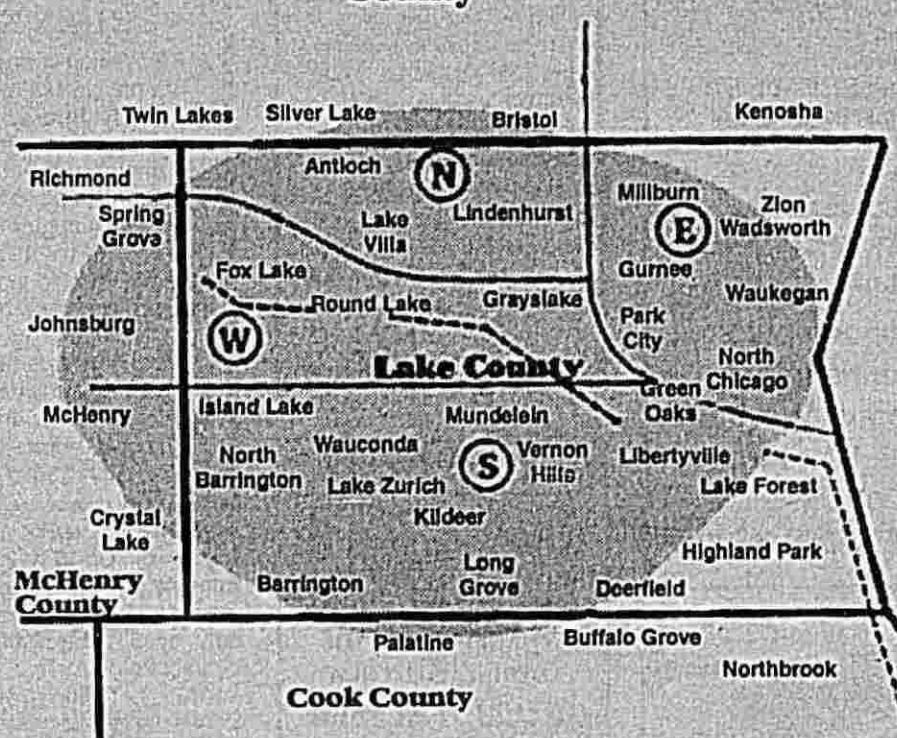
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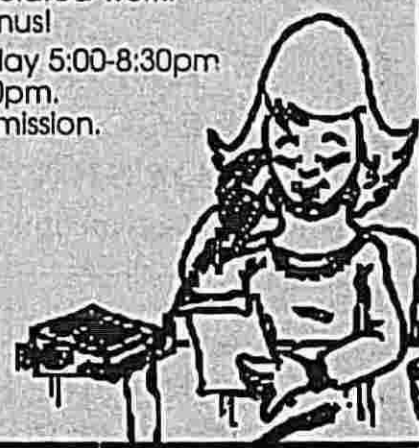
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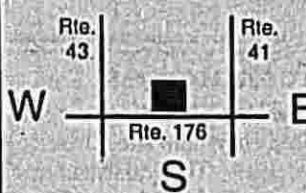
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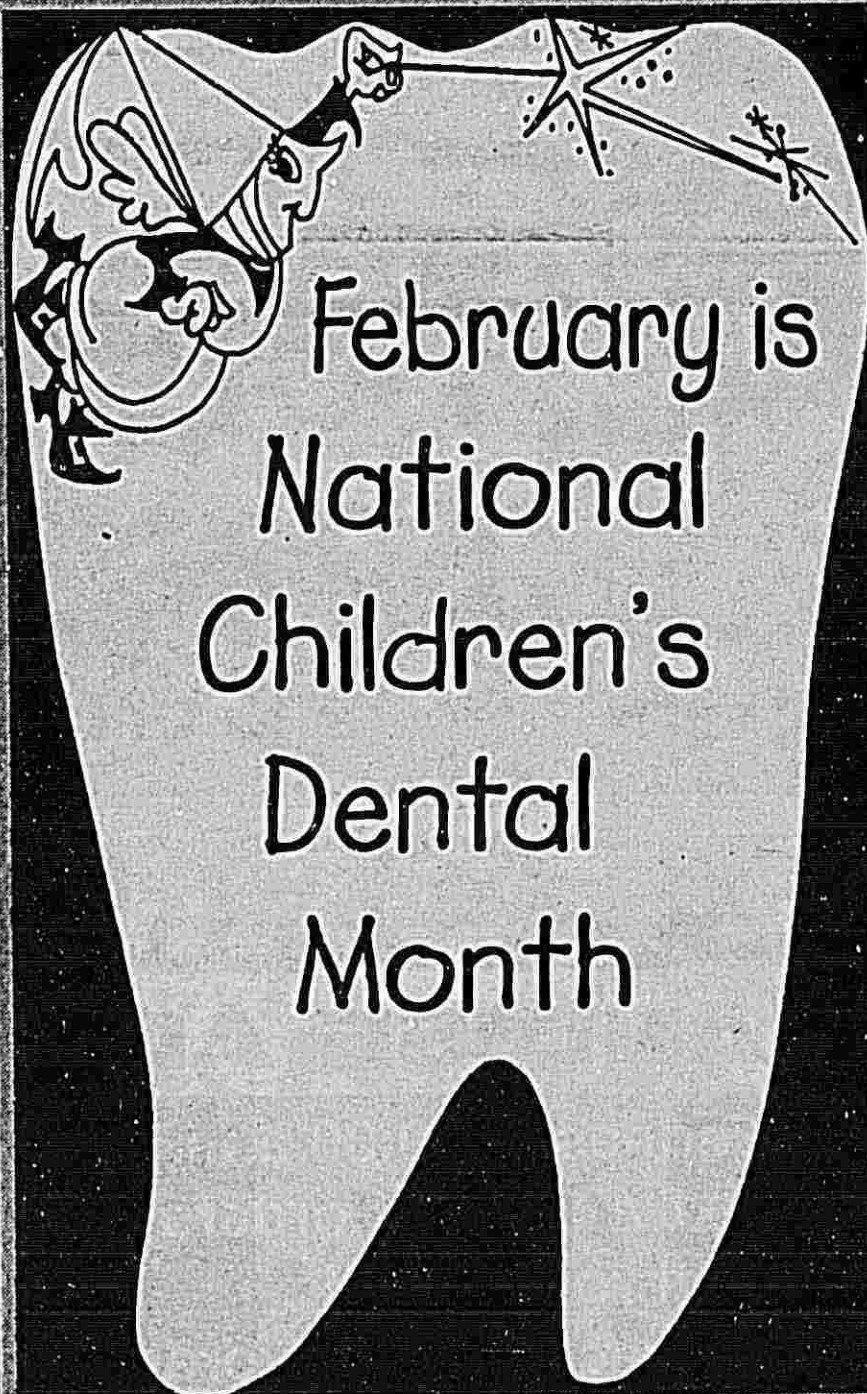
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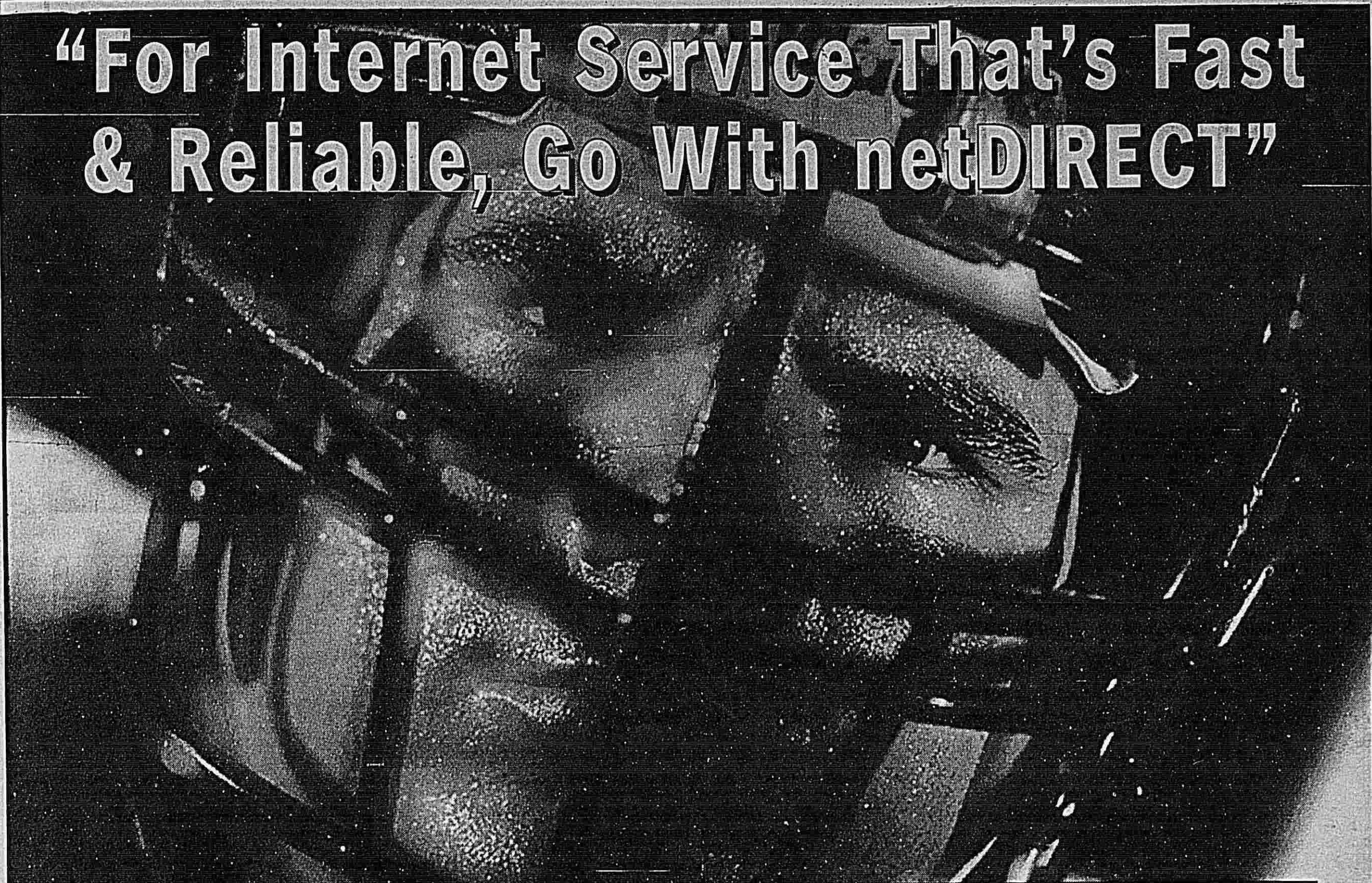
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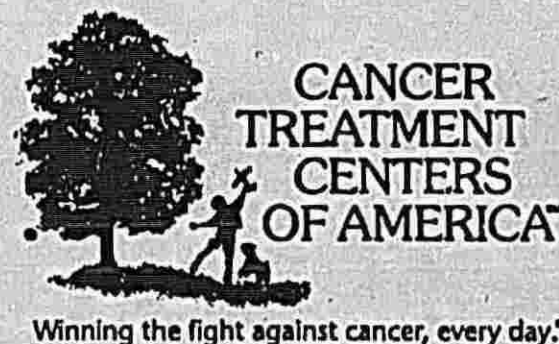
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